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RIVER GOES BACKWARD AT MORE RAPID RATE, RAIN CUTS NO FIGURE

The second Pittsburg rise had not all gotten by Thursday and that accounted for the continued slow decline of the big river, but it began falling more rapidly about noon and tonight should be going downward rapidly.

At 12:30 today the stage was 55 feet 9 inches, the river having fallen four-tenths of a foot since 7 o'clock this morning, when the gauge showed 56.3 feet. The river is falling rapidly above Point Pleasant and at headwaters, Pittsburg reporting a stage of 11.2 feet at 8 o'clock, and falling. There was a rainfall of .22 at Pittsburg, which was the same the rain amounted to here up to 7 o'clock this morning.

Light rains fell all the way up the valley, but they were not of a character to affect the river at its present high stage. Unless there should be some very heavy rains, which does not seem probable now, the flood danger can be considered over.

The rain Wednesday night revived interest in the river and alarm was felt in some quarters. A city fire engine and two syphons, which had been pumping out water since the Washington street flood pumps were put out of commission Tuesday, were quickly replaced with an auxiliary pump borrowed from Navy Bros., and there have been no more overflows in that section. Seepage continues along the Scioto river levees, but the pumps manage to keep ahead of it.

Some few families have commenced moving out of the schools which sheltered them, now that the river has receded sufficiently to permit them to re-enter their houses, but it will be another day or two before the majority will be able to return.

The backwater is fast disappearing from the lands east of New Boston and traffic on the Portsville street car line will be resumed tonight.

The packet Greyhound will be down from Huntington Friday and will resume her regular trips.

J. M. Augustin finds comfort in the fact that the river has been falling so slowly. His experience has been that whenever the river dropped slowly it would not come back up, whereas rapid falls always seemed to bring return floods.

FIRE DID NOT WORRY THE DINERS

(By United Press.)

New York, Jan. 16—"Go upstairs and put it out." With these words after theatre merrymakers answered warnings of firemen who were called by a blaze on the upper floor of a Broadway restaurant early today. As the firemen dashed upstairs the orchestra continued to play, and the diners kept on.

A supper party on the floor where the blaze was stopped only long enough to raise a window to allow the smoke to go out.

ELECTION REFORM BILL IS NOW BEING DRAFTED

(By United Press.)

Columbus, O., Jan. 16.—John R. Cassidy, clerk of the House, today began drafting a bill to reform elections in Ohio. The bill's provisions have been worked out by a commission appointed by Governor Cox, composed of Representative Bigelow of Hamilton county, Assistant Secretary of State J. H. Scerist and Mr. Cassidy. The bill will be ready next week and Cox will back it. Among its provisions are the separation of state and national tickets, the election of municipal officers on non-partisan ballots and the holding of municipal elections on Saturdays.

Representative Young of Cuyahoga county, was ready to introduce this afternoon legislation providing for the short ballot. This included a joint resolution to submit to the voters next November a constitutional amendment taking from the list of elective state officers the secretary of state, state treasurer, state auditor and attorney general and providing for their appointment by the governor.

An accompanying bill provides for the appointment of clerk of the Supreme court by the Supreme court itself and the appointment of the dairy and food commissioner by the governor.

COOKS AND WAITERS IN NEW YORK WILL STRIKE

(By United Press.)

New York, Jan. 16—After a stormy midnight session of 2000 cooks and waiters, Elizabeth Flinn, Industrial Workers of the World organizer in charge of the strike, announced early today than an overwhelming vote in favor of calling out every worker in all branches of hotel service throughout the city had been cast.

It was declared that this strike would go into effect at once. More than 10,000 workers from bell boys to head waiters are claimed to be ready to answer the strike call. The demands include better wages, shorter hours and more sanitary working conditions.

REORGANIZE CUSTOMS SERVICE

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, Jan. 16—Collector of Customs Loeb conferred with treasury officials today regarding the reorganization of the custom service, a plan for which will be soon submitted to President Taft by Secretary McVeigh for enforcement on July 1, by authorization of congress.

Senator Pomerene, of Ohio, and Representative Gardner of Texas, also discussed the rearrangement which will be revolutionary. The customs districts in Ohio will be reduced to one with Cleveland probably as its head. Cincinnati, however, is clamoring for the office. In West Virginia there will be one district or a state will be grouped with another state to form a district.

BIG FIRE AT GRAND RAPIDS

(By United Press.)

Grand Rapids, Mich., Jan. 16.—Fire which started in the Odd Fellows hall on the third floor in the heart of the business section of the city at 1:30 this morning, burned nearly half a block and the damage is estimated between $175,000 and $200,000.

CONSIDER BILLS

(By Associated Press.)

Columbus, O., Jan. 16—The senate judiciary committee today considered a bill limiting and defining bigamy introduced by Senator Hillenkamp, of Lucas county, and adjourned until Wednesday morning when Senator Friebolin's bill relative to verdicts in the common pleas court will be taken up.

COX CANCELS ALL DATES

(By Associated Press.)

Columbus, O., Jan. 16—Because of pending legislation before the general assembly to which he wishes to devote much time Gov. Cox announced that he has cancelled all his speaking engagements for the next few weeks. He was to have spoken in Cleveland tonight.

WOMAN DIED ON A LINER

(By United Press.)

New York, Jan. 16—A relayed wireless message received today by W. H. Thummel, prominent attorney, informed him of the sudden death from heart failure of his wife who was formerly Edith Hepburn, daughter of former Representative William D. Hepburn, while at sea on a liner enroute from San Francisco to Honolulu. Mrs. Thummel was a social leader of Garden City, L. I.

HUDSON PLANS GOOD ROADS LEGISLATION

Columbus, O., Jan. 16—(Spl.)—Senator Hudson of Scioto county, has been selected for the important duty of looking after good roads legislation in the senate. He will introduce two important good roads bills next week, one providing for proposed county levy to raise between $500,000 and $4,000,000 annually for good roads and one codifying numerous road laws which are conflicting, into one harmonious law.

BLAKE.

Mrs. Wilson, of Findlay street, is suffering with pneumonia.

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KEEPING TAB ON THE FLOOD.

CONSUMPTION CURE SAID TO BE A SUCCESS

(By United Press.)

Washington, January 16—Dr. Friedmann's famous bacilla cure for tuberculosis was the subject of a long report by Consul General Thackera, at Berlin, sent to congress today by President Taft.

Thackera said 1118 persons have been treated and while the cure had not yet been accepted by the medical profession the results warrant the attention of congress. The consul said the majority of the cases treated were children and in most of them, was successful.

It will be a long time, however, before the remedy becomes available for use throughout the world as it is a long and tedious process to make it.

Unrest In New York Growing

(By Associated Press.)

New York, Jan. 16—Seldom has New York City been the scene of such labor unrest as at present. Between 250,000 and 300,000 garment workers are on a strike for more pay and better working conditions and 15,000 waiters threatened to go out on a strike today. In Yonkers the street railway company has not moved a car since January 1.

Squads of garment workers satisfied with concessions granted, are said to be returning to work daily. Incidentally New York is headquarters for settling a dispute between railway managers and 35,000 firemen on the eastern roads who demand readjustment of pay and shorter hours.

IMMIGRANT TRAIN WAS WRECKED

(By Associated Press.)

Hamilton, Ontario, Jan. 16—Over 200 passengers on an immigrant trai narrowly escaped death or serious injury today in a collision between a passenger and freight near Dundas, according to advices received here. The freight train was backing off a siding when it crashed into a passenger train. Several were injured.

PEN CHAPLAIN FACES CHARGE BY A WOMAN

(By United Press.)

Columbus, O., Jan. 16—Chaplain Frank R. Richards, of the Ohio penitentiary, who comes from Gallipolis, today pleaded not guilty to a charge of assaulting Mrs. Elizabeth Cooper and his trial was set for January 22nd in police court.

The woman charges that the chaplain ordered her to depart from the prison and says she then slapped him. Before the couple were separated the chaplain's hand descended sharply on her cheek. He says it was an accident.

QUEER FREAKS OF THE PARCEL POST

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, Jan. 16—Rural free delivery carriers are finding snags in the new parcels post law, as the suburban population has accepted it as a special privilege for supplemental messenger service. One postmaster in Vermont has written to Postmaster General Hitchcock that one of his rural carriers found in a farm letter box by the roadside a note attached to a strip of calico. The note read: "Please get me five yards of colored prints as per sample. Also get a mop and I will pay for them when you deliver them." Another reported finding a dollar bill in a box with a note attached in which the farmer wanted the rural mail carrier to get him five links of stove pipe, and to deliver five bottles of patent medicine for him.

Domestic Relations Court Now Planned

(By United Press.)

Columbus, O., Jan. 16—A bill which provides for a Court of Domestic Relations with jurisdiction in all cases of juvenile delinquency, mothers' pensions, the collection of alimony for children and general family jars, is being prepared by Representative E. G. Lloyd of Franklin county.

Senator J. B. Dillison, of Logan county, will introduce a bill to prohibit the carrying of any dangerous weapon by five years imprisonment.

At the request of Gov. Cox the state board of administration and the attorney general's department were drafting today legislation to remedy conditions in state institutions.

The four important objects are life sentence in the pen for all confirmed criminals, sterilization of all defective inmates of state institutions, establishment of a research cottage where alienists will examine all persons committed by juvenile and probate courts to state institutions, the compelling of juvenile and probate courts to commit all persons direct to the state administration board instead of to state institutions, the board then to determine, after conferring with the research cottage experts where they shall be sent.

Representative Crawford, of Monroe county today, announced that he would introduce a bill providing for a one mill state levy for schools. Crawford seeks to benefit the rural schools of Ohio which he declared are being starved under the 1 per cent law. He would give the common schools about 90 per cent of the revenue derived and the rest to normal schools and colleges.

ARBOR DAY.

(By Associated Press.)

Columbus, O., Jan. 16.—Governor James M. Cox issued his first proclamation today, when he designated Friday, April 4, as Arbor Day.

LIGHT RAINS DO NOT AFFECT FALL OF RIVER

(By United Press.)

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 16—After remaining stationary at 61.2 feet for two hours the Ohio river again began to recede this morning.

Forecaster Devereaux said that the light rains which fell in the Cincinnati district last night and which continued today will have no effect on the river.

Rain temporarily checked the rapidity of the fall of the river here. There was half an inch rainfall and only one-tenth of an inch fall in the river. The stage this morning was 61.1 feet. It was predicted that the river would begin to recede rapidly within the next 24 hours. Ten thousand flood victims are being fed daily by the flood relief company.

Parts of the levee at Lawrenceburg, Ind., were washed away early today. All the able bodied men in the town were called out of bed and miles of sand bags used to protect the city.

(By United Press.)

Evansville, Ind., Jan. 16—The river was still rising this morning and the stage was 46.4 feet. Rain has been falling steadily. If the river goes up another foot the worst flood in the history of Evansville will be witnessed here. Five thousand furnaces have been put out of commission by the high waters.

(By Associated Press.)

Lawrenceburg, Ind., Jan. 16—A serious break in the levee flooded a large portion of the lower part of this city, and drove hundreds from their homes early today. The court house, churches and schools are filled with refugees. Several thousand sacks of gravel were thrown into the breaks and the danger to the city temporarily checked.

(By United Press.)

Cincinnati, Ohio, Jan. 16—With rain continuing to fall steadily here the weather forecaster said there may be another slight rise here in the Ohio river.

At noon a long distance message was received stating it was raining at Pt. Pleasant, W. Va.

At Parkersburg above Pt. Pleasant there was a fall of six feet within the past 24 hours and the forecaster said the rain would probably check the fall some.

At noon the river at Cincinnati was 61 feet and stationary.

(By United Press.)

Evansville, Ind., Jan. 16—Braving the treacherous current of the Ohio river a relief party arrived here today from Calhoun, Ky. and reported that 250 families, living in groups of from six to ten in houses on the hills were starving. The Evansville relief boat at once put out for Calhoun.

The high water has blocked traffic on the N. & N. and the Illinois Central and electric roads.

Delaware and Stanley, Ky. and Yanktown and Scuffleton, Ind., were in a bad plight, it was reported.

IS PARDONED TO ATTEND FUNERAL

(By United Press.)

Columbus, O., Jan. 16—In order that he might attend the funeral of his little daughter, who died yesterday Jacob Parmenter, whose two years penitentiary term for assault expires next Saturday, expected to be pardoned today. It was said that Governor Cox would extend the clemency which would release him three days ahead of time.

JUDGE RESIGNS

(By Associated Press.)

Columbus, O., Jan. 16—Thompson B. Helea, of New Philadelphia, today sent Governor James M. Cox his resignation as common pleas judge for the Eighth Judicial District. Judge Helea gave no reason for his action. He had two years yet to serve.

Mrs. E. F. Herzog, who has been quite ill at her home on Second street the past few days, was reported better Thursday.

OHIO STATE LEAGUE IS A MODEL

(By Associated Press.)

Chicago, Jan. 16—The National Baseball Commission today called upon minor leagues to adopt a better system of reporting and handling players' complaints.

The Ohio State League rule, to regulate players' salaries, was recommended as a model. The plan is that players report to the league president when their pay is five days overdue and if investigation reveals that the club is insolvent the players are paid out of a league reserve fund.

RESPITE FOR THE ALLENS

(By United Press.)

Richmond, Va., Jan. 16—Governor Mann this afternoon gave Floyd and Claude Allen, Hillsville court house assassins, another respite. They were to have been electrocuted at daylight tomorrow.

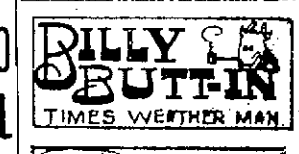
The governor fixed February 1 as the date for hearing arguments and pleas for a commutation of sentence. The governor will later decide the termination of their respite.

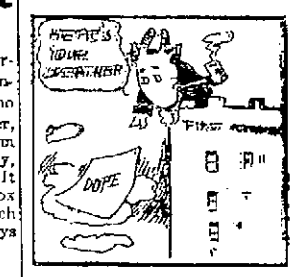
Gov. Mann later decreed that the Allens should be electrocuted on Friday, March 7, unless otherwise ordered.

FAIL TO ELECT

(By Associated Press.)

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 16—After the 38th ballot had been taken without result the Illinois house took a recess today until Saturday. It was agreed that no further balloting would be taken until next Tuesday.





I never knew just how big th' business end of a small gun can look till I handed out that "local min" dope last night. Havin' a bit more o' th' same sort t' pass along today I'm gettin' a safe distance off before handin' it out. Of course I'm not scared a bit—but you never can tell what folks will do when they get "riled." Here's for tomorrow:

Ohio—Cloudy with local rains tonight and Friday.

Kentucky—Cloudy, with local rains tonight and Friday.

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BIG OFFICIALS IN THE CITY

Hon. John J. Lentz, Dr. George W. Hoglan and Dr. W. J. Means, national officers of the A. I. U., arrived in the city Thursday noon from Columbus. They were accompanied by a number of capital city members of the A. I. U. Owing to the bad weather, the sight-seeing tour of the city, planned for this afternoon, had to be postponed. The guests are quartered at the Washington hotel.

This evening at 6 o'clock the visitors will be the guests of an elaborate dinner to be served at the aWshington, with the officers of the local order of the A. I. U. as hosts.

Commencing promptly at 8 o'cloc tonight, the national officials of the A. I. U. will talk at the opera house on fraternal insurance.

May Sue The City

Chris Malavazos is talking of bringing suit for damages against the city because the basement of his confectionery was flooded the other day. Will Cornette, the Grand Opera House barber, who, too, is enjoying an enforced vacation for the same reason, is also of the same mind. The two conferred with each other Thursday morning.

CHILDREN SCALDED

Mary, aged 10, and Harry, aged 2, children of Alva Gee, a shoeworker of 1026 Twelfth street, were severely burned Thursday noon, when a pot of scalding hot tea was overturned. The little girl was scalded about the limbs, while the lad was burned about the arms. Dr. O. R. Mickleth wait dressed the burns.

BOY DUCKED IN RIVER

Wearing a pair of his daddy's gum boots, Master Coleman Grimes, aged 7, started out to explore the backwater in the vicinity of his home at Second and Sinton streets. The boots got away with him when he stepped into a hole, and he went head first into the water, where the weight of the water-filled boots kept him down. Bystanders rescued him and Coleman will explore floods no more.

Moves To Cincinnati

Thomas W. Smith, an N. & W. engineer, moved his family to Cincinnati Thursday.

DAMAGE SUIT AGAINST MAYOR OF NEW BOSTON BEING TRIED TO JURY

There was a large crowd on hand when the $10,000 damage suit of Benjamin F. Collins against M. T. Stewart, Mayor of New Boston, went to trial in the common pleas court, Thursday, to Judge Blair and a jury. New Boston was well represented in the throng that filled the court room to hear the proceedings.

Little trouble was experienced in securing a the jury, but one peremptory challenge being made, William H. Overstreet being excused by the defense while the court excused Ernest Hammerly. The jury, as sworn, comprised John Staker, J. F. Shele, Warren Call, James W. Brown, Charles C. Jackman, James W. Dalton, Frederick Bobst, A. K. Fenton, William Eichenlaub, Fred Heller, Harry B. Jordan, Charles Grassman.

Attorney Theo. K. Funk, in his statement of the case to the jury, on behalf of the plaintiff, made some startling allegations, which he claimed would be substantiated by evidence. The attorney charged Stewart with having been intimate with Lettie Collins, wife of the plaintiff, on March 20 last, and on divers other days since, and by reason of such acts alleged he had alienated the affections of the wife from Collins and deprived him of her fellowship, society and service as his wife. The attorney said that he expected the testimony to show that the defendant had evil designs on the wife of the plaintiff and that he made it convenient to be up and around the Collins home in the absence of the husband; that he furnished her with money and made her presents at various times, and that he furnished her with intoxicating liquor, so that she would more easily yield to his influence. The attorney further charged that Stewart had used signs to beckon the woman and induce her to leave her home and meet him in a vacant house nearby, and on one occasion, it was asserted, when she went to meet the defendant at this house, after being there twenty minutes, she came back so intoxicated she was not able to finish a washing. On another occasion, the attorney claimed, that Stewart called on Mrs. Alice McKinley and declared to her that the 'little Collins woman was mighty cute,' and that he wanted to rent a room at the McKinley home to bring the Collins woman there to stay over night.

The defense contended that by reason of Collins' conduct toward his wife, she left him and that she had no affections for him to be alienated.

When Collins, the plaintiff, who was the first witness, was placed on the stand, the defense objected to the offering of any testimony, on the ground that the plaintiff did not charge in his petition, that there was any malice. The motion was overruled by the court and the trial proceeded.

Collins first told of his marriage to Lettie Altaman in Carter county, Kentucky in 1904, she at the time being 14 years of age. Three children were born to the union, the eldest being 8 years old and the youngest 4 years old, he said. The witness declared that while they had had quarrels and family "spats," their married life was happy until the alleged occurrences on which the suit was based.

He admitted that they had separated several times, she leaving and going to her folks, but she always returned. Collins told of moving to Ohio four years ago and of occupying one of Stewart's houses on Mount's Run, near New Boston. He asserted that his suspicions were aroused by the defendant's frequent visits to his home and of what others had told him. Collins gave as a reason for his separation from his wife was her associations with the defendant, over whom they had frequently quarreled, he said.

On cross-examination, Collins admitted having mistreated his wife, but denied he was jealous of her, or that he ever accused her of being intimate with any man other than Stewart. The witness also admitted that Mrs. Collins had left him three times before coming to Ohio and as many times after locating here. Collins admitted toting a gun, but stoutly denied that he had ever threatened to kill his wife. The witness denied that he first conceived the idea of filing the suit at the suggestion of Joe Steagall, or that the latter had told him that it was a good chance to get some easy money off the New Boston mayor.

Collins denied that he had mistreated his wife at the time he was arrested and locked up at New Boston, explaining that they had quarreled over Stewart's associations with her. The witness admitted that Joseph Steagall had taken him to Judge W. D. James' office, and said that Steagall was to receive a part of the money recovered, if any.

Collins was still on the stand when adjournment was taken for the noon hour. The jury, before going to dinner, was given the usual warning and precaution by the court to not talk about the case among themselves or allow any one to speak of it in their presence.

Both sides had quite an array of witnesses and if all are used, the case will not in all probability go to the jury before Friday afternoon.

The witnesses: Lettie Collins, Winnie Samper, Lillie Collins, Dicie Collins, Yes. Lewis, Isaac Wells, Albert Mills, Sanford Mills, Louis Shonkwiler, Henry Miller, Lewis Miller, Alice McKinley, James Menix, Mrs. James Menix, Ezra Jenkins, Frank Wolfe, Carl Jenkins, Mrs. Carl Jenkins, Mrs. Anna Brown, Lena Stewart, Sophia Kazee, Myrtle Patton, T. C. Patterson, Walter Neal, Mrs. Frank Menix, Estella Begnak, Estu Jenkins, J. T. Stewart, Mrs. Clyde Cochran, R. H. Rainey, John Coburn, Mary Viers.

Collins Recalled To The Stand

When court convened for the afternoon session, Collins was called back to the stand for cross-examination. Nothing damaging to his cause was brought out in Collins' cross-examination, excepting his admission that she was a gambler. When Collins left the stand, Attorney Gilliland, for the defense, made a motion asking the court to direct a verdict for the defendant on the grounds that the wife, or alleged wife, is not the lawful wife of the plaintiff. The jury retired while the motion was argued. The motion was overruled and the trial proceeded.

Winnie Samper, mother of the plaintiff, was the next witness called. She stated on direct examination, that she saw Mayor Stewart frequently go to the little house near the Collins home, and that Mrs Collins usually followed in that direction. She never saw the woman enter the house. Mrs. Samper told of Mrs. Collins going toward the little house one washday and when she returned appeared to be intoxicated and was unable to continue the washing.

Lillie Collins, sister of the plaintiff, on the stand, said that she had seen Mayor Stewart go to the little house on several occasions and make signs by putting up two fingers—Mrs. Collins was there with the defendant several times. The witness contradicted herself on cross examination.

Dicie Collins, another sister of the plaintiff, stated she had seen Mayor Stewart go to the little house most every morning. He would stand in the door, she said, and put up two fingers and then my brother's wife would go over into the house.' The witness said the defendant, Mayor Stewart, had bought her a birthday present last November.

Sanford Mills was called to the stand and he told of an alleged conversation he and his brother had with Mayor Stewart, in which Stewart said, 'Understand boys, I am mayor, and any one that testifies against me will have to leave this town."

Sylvester Lewis, a neighbor of the Collins family, told of seeing Stewart at the Collins home some two or three times and said that on the occasion of these visits the children came out and sat on the porch.

Frank Wolfe, another neighbor, stated that he saw Stewart at the Collins home several times. The witness told of once seeing the defendant go to the little house and after some little time Mrs. Collins followed him there. "They remained exactly 19 minutes," added the witness.

The following witnesses were placed on the stand late Thursday afternoon: Mrs. Addie Wolfe, Isaac Wells, Louis Shonkwiler, Harry Miller, Albert Mills, Carl Jenkins, Mrs. Florece Jenkins, Mrs. Anna Brown, James Menix and Sophia Kazee.

Their testimony was all along the same line. They spoke of having seen Mayor Stewart going to the Collins house and also to the "little house on the hill," where Mrs. Collins would soon follow him.

Mrs. Alice McKinley's testimony was the "spiciest" during the late afternoon session. She stated that Mayor Stewart had talked to her about the Collins woman and told her that he had purchased her (Mrs. Collins) a pair of shoes, remarking at the same time that Mrs. Collins had a dainty little foot, he knew because he had seen it in the sand.

Wreck On N. & W. Rwy.

A broken car journal caused N. & W. extra freight train No. 1026 to pile up some cars near Glenn Hayes, W. Va., Thursday morning. No one was hurt, but traffic was blocked several hours. The train was in charge of Conductor J. M. Ball and Engineer Fillinger.

Schools To Reopen

Reopening of the New Boston schools will not take place until Monday. The high water has prevented resumption of the sessions until that time.

THE STAGE AT 4 P. M.

At 4 o'clock this afternoon the river was 55 feet 6 inches and falling at the rate of two inches per hour.

Tracks Damaged

A freak accident happened on the N. & W. at Nolan, W. Va., Thursday morning. A pair of wheels of a box car became derailed and after running along the track for three-quarters of a mile re-railed itself. The wheels damaged about 500 spikes during their wild ride.

Assistant Yardmaster At Terminals

W. A. Richards is the new assistant yardmaster in the N. & W. yards at East Portsmouth. He succeeds Joseph Kemp, who was killed Monday while performing his duties. Mr. Richards' place as night assistant yardmaster has been taken by J. E. Jones.

BRAKEMEN LAID OFF

Four crews and sixteen extra brakemen on the Kenova district of the N. & W. were laid off for a few days Thursday. There is a temporary lull in freight traffic.

Will Open Barber Shop

Cornelius Smith, who has been employed as first chair man at Wm. Cornette's opera house barber shop, has decided to launch in business for himself. He has rented Al Wurster's vacant room on Fifth street, just west of Chillicothe street and expects to open up a modern shop within the next week or ten days. "Smitty" has placed an order with a Cincinnati firm for a complete line of new fixtures.

Threw Young Greek Into The Ohio River

Rosy-cheeked Jimmy Skarpas, the youthful Greek clerk in Chris Malavazos' candy kitchen at Fifth and Chillicothe streets, tempted fate Wednesday and fell into the Ohio river.

Wearing a straw hat, he sauntered down to Front and Washington streets to gaze upon the slowly receding Ohio. A crowd of boys focused their eyes upon his out-of-season lid. They made a grand rush for Jimmy and getting hold of him, they pitched him bodily into the Ohio river. Now Jimmy left Greece before he acquired the art of swimming and had not his frantic yells for help been answered, he would have drowned. Soaked to the skin and his courage at a low ebb, Jimmy ran all the way back to the candy shop and there in bated breath he related the various phases of his thrilling experience.

Chris Malavazos made an investigation of the affair and will swear out warrants for the arrest of the boys who tossed Jimmy into the swirling, muddy Ohio should he be fortunate enough to secure their names.

After Jimmy got his courage back by slow degrees, he laconically replied that the uprising in the Balkan region was mere by-play alongside of being hurled into the broad Ohio.

Filled Up On Booze, Came Near Drowning

Jack Braden, a West Third street citizen, came dangerously near drowning in the Scioto backwaters Monday night.

Braden was intoxicated and staggered to behind the Gilbert Grocery Company's warehouse at Seventh and Market streets. Suddenly he slid down over the bank and was in water up to his neck. A boy's frantic cries for help brought Adolph Brunner, Will Gims, Elmer Rader and Will Stevie, a traveling salesman, hurriedly to the scene. Brunner held out an umbrella to which Braden held fast, and he was pulled out with difficulty, as he weighs over 250 pounds. The rescuers prepared to turn him over to the police for safekeeping, but meanwhile friends assisted him home.

Braden claimed to have been robbed of $15 and thrown over the bank, but his story was discredited.

WOULD MANAGE THE LOCAL TEAM

President William Gableman of the Portsmouth team of the Ohio State league, received a message from Walter Justice, of Lawrenceburg, Ind., Thursday, asking to be made manager of the local team. President Gableman immediately answered the letter, using the following phrase, inasmuch as he was in a humorous mood: "In justice to Manager Childs, who has won us three pennants, your application has been tossed in the waste basket."

Justice formerly pitched for Lancaster in the Ohio State league and was a star hurler. He is now with Jersey City in the International league, but has been promised his release providing he can secure the management of a team in organized baseball.

HAMMER AND PAINT

Architect Albert Pretzinger, of Dayton, has completed the plans for the new 10 room school building that is to be built on North Waller street and Kinney's Lane. The school board will advertise for bids right away and they hope to have ground broken for the foundation of the new structure March 1.

The real estate firm of Bierley and Lowry put several men to work Thursday fixing up their new offices in the Miller building on Gallia street. They will be equipped with new furniture and converted into ideal offices.

Rapid headway is being made on the new Brunner building on Gallia street. The new fronts have been placed in position and the finishing touches placed on the interior. When the veil is lifted, the public will be surprised at the beauty and modern construction of the structure.

Interior repairs and an exterior coat of paint are being given the W. G. Sellards room on Gallia street, opposite John street. The room is soon to be occupied by Joseph Hoerth, the Fourth street baker. Mr. Hoerth plans to open up a first-class bakery, with a complete line of pastries.

Right from among the ashes of the old structure, which was destroyed by fire several weeks ago, has grown the new barn erected by Freshour Bros., Gallia street grocers. The barn is of the same dimension as the old one, but more conveniently arranged.

Contractor William Bradley expects to finish Warwick Anderson's new bungalow on Rose Ridge this week. It will be one of the finest homes in the city.

Work on the foundation for the new Banson building on Gallia street is now well under way, and the east and west walls are beginning to loom up nicely.

Work on the extensive improvements being made at the Columbia is moving along more rapidly, and Manager Fred Tynes hopes to have his house open in a few days. It will then be one of the largest, as well as one of the handsomest in the state.

B. W. Rutledge, the Third street repair man, after scaffolding up his stock and equipment repaired to his home in Grayson, Ky., to await the end of the flood.

Irving Drew went to Columbus Thursday to confer with Architects Richards, Bulford and McCarthy relative to the bids recently submitted for the construction of the five-story building Mr. Drew will erect on Eleventh street and which will adjoin the Tenth street plant. The contract will be awarded probably Friday. It is understood that there were no local bids submitted.

Contractor C. E. Nourse began work Thursday constructing a new concrete floor and walls in the Davis Drug company's basement.

Work on the new Hibbs building on Sixth street was temporarily halted by Thursday's rain. The heavy lintel was placed in position yesterday and the work will now proceed more rapidly.

Father Edwards of No. 739 Front street, was removed to Hempstead hospital by Lynn's ambulance Thursday afternoon.

Officer John Smith, of the day police force, is off duty with a severe cold. He is laid up at his home in the Hill Top district.

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OBITUARY

Mrs. Anna Tilton.

After an illness covering a period of 17 weeks' duration, Mrs. Anna Tilton passed peacefully away at 6 o'clock Thursday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bertha Liming, of 420 Fourth street. She had been hopelessly ill for some time with a cancerous affection. In the hopes of a permanent cure being effected Mrs. Tilton underwent a serious surgical operation ten weeks ago, from which she never rallied.

Mrs. Tilton was 55 years old and was born in Madison township, this county, on October 4, 1858. She is survived by four children: Davis, Mrs. Bertha Liming, Mrs. Anna Mackey and Frank. During the latter years of Mrs. Tilton's life she was tenderly cared for by her son Frank, and until a few days ago they resided on Washington street. Mrs. Tilton was a lovable woman, who possessed a legion of friends. Kind, sympathetic, always willing to assist those in need, she led a life of usefulness. She was industrious and lived for her family. Her death is surrounded by unusually sad circumstances. She was a faithful member of the Manila Rebekah lodge and this organization will have charge of the funeral services, which will be conducted Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of Mrs. Liming, 420 Fourth street. The Rev. T. H. McAfee will conduct the last rites and interment will be made in Greenlawn.

Benton Powell Funeral

The funeral services of the late Benton Powell, who was killed when a tree fell on him, took place Thursday morning from the Mt. Carmel United Brethren church located east of Harrisonville. The last rites were in charge of the Rev. B. Musgrove, pastor of this church. Interment was made in the Mt. Carmel cemetery.

Mrs. Sarah J. Kerr.

This week's Vanceburg Sun tells of the death there, on January 11, of Mrs. Sarah J. Kerr, wife of Dawson Kerr. The funeral took place last Sunday. Mrs. Kerr was the mother of Mrs. Ella Blevins and Mr. Leets Springer of this city. She also leaves three other grown children. Her death was due to dropsy, from which she had been suffering for several months.

Andrew Cumpston Funeral.

The funeral services of Andrew Cumpston, who died Wednesday, will be conducted at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon instead of 2 o'clock, as was stated in Wednesday's Times. The services will be held promptly at 1 o'clock at Mayor Stewart's residence, and the burial will be at 2 o'clock at Greenland.

Mrs. Hattie Ewing Funeral.

Brief services were conducted Thursday afternoon over the remains of teh late Mrs. Hattie Ewing, who died Wednesday morning at the home of John Flood, 1024 Sixth street. Mrs. Ewing was a cousin of Mrs. John Flood, who preceded her to the last resting place Wednesday afternoon. Rev. Hart, of Manly church, conducted the last rites in this city preparatory to the removal of the remains to Mrs. Ewing's home at Pomeroy, O.

Miss Martha Ewing and Glenroy Ewing, daughter and son of the decedent, are in the city and will accompany the remains to their home.

CATARRH OF THE PHARYNX

Causes Spitting and Coughing.

Catarrh of the pharnyx is very common among men or women who are good livers. People who drink some. Smoke much. Late suppers. In the morning ther hawk and spit and gag. Bad taste in the mouth. Sometimes it is noon before the pharynx is in a decent condition. Tongue somewhat coated, voice husky. Feeling cross and crabbed and generally out of sorts. This is a condition of the pharynx closely resembling catarrh and is generally the direct result of habits, although not always.

Hawking and Spitting Cured.

Get a bottle of Peruna. The first thing in the morning, before you get your clothes on, take a dose of Peruna, a tablespoonful, not more, not any less. By the time you are ready for breakfast your stomach will be ready also. The first dose may not clear up things exactly. You may gag and spit a little, but keep right on every morning, a tablespoonful the first thing. Also take a tablespoonful before dinner and before supper.

Let me repeat. You had better cut out all these late suppers and drinks. Cut out the smoking also. Better live as I do, in which none of these things are used. Go to bed early. Get up like I do, early in the morning and take a cold bath. Then you will realize the joy of living. But if you won't do this, take Peruna as I have described, and you will count yourself a lucky man or woman that you happened to read this article.

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Jerome Bradshaw.

Jerome Bradshaw, pioneer resident of Harrisonville, who passed away Monday at the age of 91 years, following a long illness with a complication of diseases, was well known in this city. One brother, Robert Bradshaw, of Cincinnati, and one sister, Mrs. America Hunt, of Harrisonville, survive. Mrs. Rosa Brooks, Robert Bradshaw, Nellie Bradshaw, Vina Bradshaw of Cincinnati, nephews and nieces, and James and G. A. Bradshaw of this city, also nephews, survive.

Mr. Bradshaw never married. He was a member of the Christian church. Interment took place Tuesday afternoon in the Harrisonville cemetery.

Abram Burk

A patient sufferer for many weeks with pulmonary trouble death came as a relief Thursday afternoon to Abram Burk, a well known insurance solicitor, who resided with his family at 1015 Chillicothe street. He was 54 years old and leaves a wife, Mrs. Mattie Burk and one son, Albert. The body was removed this afternoon to the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Ashbaugh, of 914 Gay street from where the funeral services will be held Saturday. Interment will be made in Greenlawn.

Prior to his illness Mr. Burk was employed by the Prudential Life Insurance Company.

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Mayor Recommends More Flood Defenses

Mayor Tynes appeared before council at its regular meeting on Wednesday night and talked interestingly of the experiences of Portsmouth the last few days with the flood from which Portsmouth is just emerging. The chief executive stontly recommended the extension of the flood wall so as to protect other parts of the city, "as it has been demonstrated the past few days that it is a practical matter to keep a flood out of this city," he said.

The mayor said in part: "We were fortunate, indeed, in having the protection we had against the present flood and it was pleasing to all the manner in which the refugees were taken care of in all parts of the city. It seems to me from talking with a number of business men that it would be proper for council to take up the matter, at an early date, of providing a line of flood defenses, particularly in the west and north portion of the city which is protected by a fill, constructed of dirt and cinders and through which water seeps and is dangerous especially in time of strong winds.

"It is only fair to the city and its citizens," declared the mayor, "that a committee of council take up and investigate the necessity of this extension of flood defenses, both in regard to wall and pumps, with a view of putting the defenses on a substantial basis."

The recommendations of Mayor Tynes were referred to the street committee and service director with instructions to report definitely at the next meeting.

Two appointments made by Mayor Tynes, George E. Kricker as a member of the Sinking Fund Trustees for a term of four years to succeed himself, and P. H. Harsha as a member of the Board of Health for a term of five years from July 1, last, to succeed Dr. Flint Kline were confirmed.

Solicitor McCall was granted more time to report on the proposition of condemning a right-of-way for water mains through New Boston. The solicitor stated that he was awaiting an opinion from Attorney General Hogan, who is considering a similar case from Akron. The water committee was granted further time on the same problem.

Auditor Gableman reported a balance of $387,945.79 in the treasury at the close of business on December 31, with orders outstanding amounting to $4738.15.

The general appropriation ordinance to pay salaries and current expenses for the half year ending June 30, 1913, passed under a suspension of the rules. The service department was given an extra allowance to defray the expense of cleaning up the flood and the safety department was given $600 for outdoor relief, an increase of $300.

An ordinance was passed vacating a certain unnamed street, extending east and west, between Walnut street and Kendall avenue. On motion of Mr. Osborn the New Boston water main franchise ordinance was passed to its third reading.

Mr. Gergens inquired in behalf of Charles Craigmiles, disabled fireman, why the latter had not been put on the pension list, or rather dropped from it. Mr. Osborn, chairman of the fire committee, stated that the files in the auditor's office show that Craigmiles had taken no treatment in an effort to cure the cause of his disability — rheumatism — which physicians say would yield to treatment. Mr. Osborn added that the committee had not considered Craigmiles for the reason that he presented no claim. Mr. Craigmiles then made a statement explaining that he had discontinued treatment until spring on the advice of his physician. On motion of Mr. Cook the case was referred to the fire committee for investigation.

The session was a brief one for the amount of business disposed of. All hands were present and President Young occupied the chair. Mayor Tynes, Auditor Gableman, Directors Williams and Hutchins, and Solicitor McCall were also present.

Escaped After Fifteen Years

W. P. Broyles made a successful escape after fifteen years of suffering from kidney and bladder troubles. Foley Kidney Pills released him and will do just the same for others. He says: "They cured a most severe backache with painful bladder irregularities, and they do all you claim for them." Take the "direct road" to health and strength by using Foley Kidney Pills for backache, rheumatism, weak, sore kidneys and bladder irregularities. They are the best medicine you can buy for kidney and bladder ailments. Fisher & Streich. adv.

Burned In Gas Explosion

When George Corson hunted for a leak in a gas stove at the home of John Snyder on Second street Wednesday afternoon, there was the proverbial result. The gas ignited and Corson suffered a badly burned right arm about the wrist. Corson is employed by the Tritscheller Plumbing Company, and was seeking to repair the stove when the accident happened.

Basket Ball Games.

In the city basket ball league, the Club teams and the First Baptist teams will play tonight. The First Baptist team will trot on the floor materially weakened, as "Chick" McDaniel has taken a night job at the steel plant and will be unable to play.

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COW KILLED IN PLATFORM COLLAPSE

Rain-soaked straw that had been piled high on a platform on A. B. Turner's farm near McGaw on the West Side, caused the platform to give away with a crash early Thursday morning, and one cow that had sought shelter under it was killed and a steer was so badly hurt that it will probably have to be killed. Mr. Turner resides in this city.

Veteran Suicide

Wellston, O., Jan. 16.—Samuel Thompson, aged 85, a veteran of the civil war, today committed suicide at the home of his daughter at Hamden, by hanging himself from a bed post. His body was found by a grandchild, who had entered his room to awaken him. The aged man had been despondent.

Date Not Decided.

Homer Selby, manager of the Bigelow Lecture Course, stated Thursday that no definite date had been fixed for Judge Lindsey's appearance here under the auspices of this organization. The Aida Quartette, a splendid musical organization, comes to Bigelow on March 7.

Harry Shaw, a machinist, and family moved Thursday from Grandview avenue to a house on Ninth street, near Lincoln street.

THEATRICAL

Some one has said that "marriage and children anchor a woman" and so strikingly was this shown in "The Real Thing" presented at the Grand Wednesday night that it proved to be the foundation of Henrietta Crosman's latest comedy drama.

Divorcing herself from all the ante-marriage diversions and recreations that she so thoroughly enjoyed, refusing to attend tea parties, whist parties, in fact any feature of the social realm, Kate Grayson preferred her home and kiddies to a life of gaiety and social eminence and so completely was she obsessed by attributes of a homely, ultra domestic nature that her husband seeks the companionship of another, a woman young and pretty and vivacious and therein lies the ingeniously conceived plot of "The Real Thing". The story briefly is that of a woman who no longer finds pleasure on the tennis court, in the saddle or among her friends, who, after marriage and children have entered her life, settles down and that is the last seen of her. But in leading this life Kate Grayson, "the wife", encounters lots of difficulty. Her husband associates with a budding miss, who is the happiest when bounding balls back to him on the tennis court. An old beau of seven years ago returns and he falls in love with Jessie Lorraine, "the widow" who is as charming as widows go. Emulating Rusty, the widow pulls the strings and everything ends happily. Kate Grayson gives up the dressing sacque for the low neck, sleeveless gown, goes back to her former diversions reluctantly, tells Tom Bradley that Jessie is on the market again, being a widow, Richard Grayson, "the husband" is restored to the affections of his wife and everybody is supremely happy. There is a tender strain of sweetness underlying the action of the piece that was irresistible. The crisp dialogue scintillated with delicious humor and the play was enjoyable from every angle, it was capitally written, splendidly acted and handsomely staged. There were many witty couplings of a philosophical nature that evoked much applause. The lines were spoken with security and decision and the play was admirably interpreted. As she is being berated by Jessie for basking too much beneath the furniture of her home, Kate attempts to offset the harsh criticism by saying that to "neglect children is criminal." "Yes", said Jessie, with a smile and "to neglect your husband is fatal. A woman is much like a bottle of wine. She is alright as long as she effervesces, but once she quits bubbling a new bottle is ordered."

Miss Crosman as Jessie was charming and the character is one of sufficient scope to permit an admirable display of her cleverness, her whimsical fancies and her versatility. True the hand of time has begun to rest heavily upon her shoulder, but she is still an actress of discriminating power and force. She had Kate put away the apron for the laciest of gowns with the skill of a real diplomat and lactician. Her support was faultless. Albert Brown as Tom Bradley, Josephine Lovett as Kate, Fred Tilden as Richard Grayson, Welba Lestina as "the understudy" and Joyce Fair and Joe Wallace as the kiddies were in keeping with the excellence of Miss Crosman, who was last seen here, seven years ago in "Mistress Nell."

"A Modern Eve"

There is probably no better known or better liked personality in musical comedy than Frank Deshon, the clever comedian who will be seen in the cast of Mort H. Singer's Berlin musical success, "A Modern Eve", which comes to the Grand for an engagement on January 17.

The cast includes Georgie Drew Mendum, Bertee Beaumont, Ruth Peebles, Frederic Santley, Lee Johnstone, William Kent and Carl Stall. The entire production of "A Modern Eve", exactly as seen during its two hundred and fifty performance run in Chicago, will be presented. The music of the two noted German composers, Victor Holländer and Jean Gilbert, is the rage this year, especially the famous "Goodbye Everybody" waltz song, a tune that has swept the country.

Aborn Opera Co.

The Aborn English Grand Opera Company, which is the largest and most famous organization in the world presenting grand opera in English, has been secured for an engagement at the Grand on Thursday, January 23.

The company is directed by Milton and Sargent Aborn, and its personnel is selected from the five companies which they had located for long runs last spring in a half dozen of the established operatic centers of America. Its repertoire is even divided between the popular classics and the modern grand opera novelties, including "Madam Butterfly", "La Boheme", "The Tales of Hoffmann", "Hansel and Gretel", "Lohengrin", "Il Trovatore", "Carmen" and "Lucia di Lammermoor", and selections are being made from this list by popular vote in the cities to be visited during their tour.

"Madame X"

If there is a heavenly reward for players who are doing their share in keeping the stage free from off-color productions, Miss Adelaide French has no cause to worry about the hereafter. During her busy career in American theatricals Miss French has consistently devoted her energies to the staging of clean, wholesome plays and she has several times rejected flattering offers to interpret roles in "problem plays" and similar risque productions.

Miss French is now in her second season with "Madame X", the great French drama which has shattered all records for dramatic plays. She succeeded Dorothy Donnelly in the title role and in many cities where the play has been seen two or three times critics have said that the work of the two artists can be compared without the slightest injustice to either. Supported by a strong company and with the same production used at the Lyric theatre, New York, Miss French will be seen in "Madame X" at the Grand theatre next Tuesday evening.

In her determination to never appear in a play that her mother could not enjoy, Miss French ranks with Maude Adams, Mrs. Fiske, Ethel Barrymore and other actresses whose lives are a credit to the theatrical profession. Like these women, the star of "Madame X" has ideals and a will power that distinguishes her from the player who takes the part a manager gives her, memorizes it and plays it mechanically for a season or two at so much a week.

"When I entered the profession I was determined to put my self-respect above everything," says Miss French, "and it is my proudest boast that I have been successful in this. I think 'Madame X' is one of the greatest plays of our time because it is based upon that purest of all affection—mother-love. It is a play that every mother and every child are the better for seeing. In the part of the woman whose love for her boy overshadows all her shortcomings I am so much at home that it does not seem like work to go on twice a day and speak the lines. For two hours and a half I live the part and in the 'card scene' and the court room scene I frequently find a suspicious dampness about my eyes and cheeks."

As "Madame X" has never been seen in Portsmouth it is expected that Miss French will be greeted by on of the largest audiences of the season.

The Sun.

Another big headline act for the New Sun the last half of the week beginning matinee today will be The Gotham City Trio, the comedy sensation in vaudeville. Every minute something is doing. Good clean comedy and good harmony singing, presenting the latest popular songs and parodies prevail. The jew, the straight man and the dude are the characters presented in this excellent trio, which are popularly styled "the three grouch killers."

Another headline feature act is Lorraine Buchanon and Billy DeVens, presenting the tabloid comedy, "The Girl Raffles," a decided novelty in the sketch line. The story discloses a young government official on guard of gold and bullion to be used by a sculptor in the working of a costly statue to adorn the national capitol. After the departure of the colligues, he learns of the raid planned on the place by some second story workers, led by a girl, Raffles, and in order to learn the plans, he disguises as one of the statues in the studio. A comedy line of slang by Miss Buchanon and some exceptionally pleasing songs by Mr. DeVens enhance the drawing quality of the act.

Hugh Norton, protean change artist is a new and novel extra added attraction.

Then there are Massy and Bolton in a comedy skit, "The Village Band."

New and instructive motion pictures by the Sunscope conclude the bill.

Hunsicker Has Gone

P. W. Hunsicker bade Portsmouth friends good-bye Wednesday and took his departure for Akron and Grand Rapids, where he goes to inspect two jobs as window trimmer, which have been offered to him. He will accept one or the other. Mr. Hunsicker came here about a year ago and made numerous friends, whose best wishes will follow him to his new field of labor.

If God DESTROYS both SOUL and BODY in Hell what is left to wail and gnash its teeth? adv 15-2

WITH HOSPITAL PATIENTS

Fortune seems to be smiling on the victims of mishaps who are under treatment at the city hospital.

Pearl Rickey, who suffered an abdominal wound as the result of a shooting scrape in C. E. Cropper's saloon, Saturday night, is greatly improved. The bullet has not been removed, but attending physicians are firm in their belief that the piece of lead will never bother the victim.

A. L. Weber, the N. & W. boss wrecker, who was bruised about the body and head when a part of a broken crane struck him while he was working on the wreck at Doty, Monday, is also doing nicely.

Henry Geisler, whose foot was severed when he fell under an N. & W. freight train at the Waller street crossing, is resting comfortably.

BOND SALE.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Clerk of the Board of Education of the New Boston Village School district, Scioto County, Ohio, at the office of said Clerk in New Boston, Ohio, until 12 o'clock, noon, Friday, January 24th, 1913, for the purchase of $29,500.00 "New Boston Village School Improvement Bonds," dated January 20th, 1913, and maturing as follows:

2	Bonds $1000.00	Jan. 24, 1923
2	Bonds $1000.00	Jan. 24, 1924
2	Bonds $1000.00	Jan. 24, 1925
2	Bonds $1000.00	Jan. 24, 1926
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2	Bonds $1000.00	Jan. 24, 1941
2	Bonds $1000.00	Jan. 24, 1942
2	Bonds $1000.00	Jan. 24, 1943
2	Bonds $1000.00	Jan. 24, 1944
2	Bonds $1000.00	Jan. 24, 1945
2	Bonds $1000.00	Jan. 24, 1946
2	Bonds $1000.00	Jan. 24, 1947
2	Bonds $1000.00	Jan. 24, 1948
2	Bonds $1000.00	Jan. 24, 1949
2	Bonds $1000.00	Jan. 24, 1950
2	Bonds $1000.00	Jan. 24, 1951
1	Bond $500.00	Jan. 24, 1952

Said bonds are Coupon Bonds, 55 in number, numbered consecutively from 25 to 81, both inclusive, of the denomination of $1,000.00 each, bearing interest at the rate of four an one-half (4 1-2) per cent per annum, payable semi-annually on the 24th day of January and July in each year from the date of issue to the date of maturity, at Portsmouth Banking Company, in the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, and are issued under the authority of Section 7630 of the General Code of Ohio, and under authority of a resolution adopted by the Board of Education of said village of New Boston School district, on December 6th, 1912.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a certified check upon some solvent bank, payable to the order of Roy H. Coburn, Clerk, in an amount equal to five per cent of the par value of the bonds bid for.

All proposals must be unconditional, and no proposals in an amount less than the par value of the bonds bid for and accrued interest to the date of delivery will be considered.

Proposals shall be sealed and indorsed "Proposals for New Boston Village School Improvement Bonds" and addressed to Roy H. Coburn, Clerk of the Board of Education, of New Boston Village School District, Portsmouth, Ohio.

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No. 52 Leave Portsmouth 2:00 p. m. Arrive Hamden 4:35 p. m.
No. 51 Leave Hamden 7:45 a. m. Arrive Portsmouth 10:20 a. m.
No. 53 leave Hamden 4:05 p. m. Arrive Portsmouth 6:35 p. m.

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Hundreds of equally as marvelous bargains throughout the store.

THE BRAGDON DRY GOODS CO.
MASONIC TEMPLE "THE STORE ACCOMMODATING" FOURTH AND CHILLICOTHE

Columbus, O., Jan. 16—The doors of the Governor's office now swing open all day long. Heretofore, the custom has been followed of opening the office at 10 o'clock in the morning and closing it at noon until 2 o'clock in the afternoon, when it would be opened for another two hours. Under the new administration the office will be opened just as soon as the first member of the force gets down in the morning and it will remain open until the last man leaves towards evening. James M. Cox said that the latch-string of his office would always be open when he became governor, and it looks as if it will be hung that way.

The battle between the wets and drys over the liquor license law is now on. Next Monday night the house liquor traffic and senate joint committee will have its first hearing on the proposition. The joint committee of the house and senate met Wednesday night to talk over the measure and the arrangements for hearings. The administration plan of having a commission appointed by the governor with a deputy commissioner in each county will likely be adopted, but the drys will try to incorporate some stringent features in the bill. They want it to provide that charges may be brought against a saloonkeeper for the revocation of his license at any time. They want saloons barred from within 300 feet of a church or school, unless in a reputable hotel. They want minors prohibited from saloons. D. F. Anderson, of Youngstown, will be the chief representative of the drys at Monday night's meeting. Percy Andrae, of Cincinnati, will be the chief wet representative.

The anti-lobbyist bill of Governor Cox may be a law before nightfall. Introduced in both branches of the general assembly, Wednesday, and placed on its second reading at once, it was sent to the printer and copies of the measure will be in the hands of the members today, and if they are the bill will be called up at once for passage. It was presented as an emergency measure and so will not be held up for 90 days, as in the case of other measures. The bill requires the lobbyist and his employer to register and state the kind of legislation to be lobbied for. No lobbyists pay shall be dependent on the passage or defeat of a bill. Within 30 days after adjournment of the legislature, an itemized statement must be filed, showing what money was spent. There is a fine of from $200 to $5,000 and from one to two years' imprisonment for violating the law.

The first message of Governor Cox to the general assembly is the subject of much favorable comment. Among the congratulations received by the Governor on his message were those of President Charles W. Dabney, of the University of Cincinnati, who wired: "The first question of your message fills me with enthusiasm. It is a broad, thorough and most admirable program of progressive legislation, the best I have seen so far. The people have settled the principles and we must now put them into effect through legislation. I am chiefly impressed, therefore, with the practical character of your recommendations. I wish you complete success in putting them through."

The trial of former Senator Edgar T. Crawford, of Carroll county, for alleged bribery, set for Monday, has been postponed until Jan. 27, because Attorney General Hogan will be at Ashland county next week probing alleged miscarriage of justice there. The trial of ex-Mayor Charles A. Bond, of Columbus, has also been postponed one week, and will start Feb. 3.

Assistant Chief Examiner Pierce Welch, of the state department of stationary engineers was stricken with appendicitis while at work and was hastily removed to a hospital, where he was operated upon. The operation was a success. Mr. Welch is known to engineers throughout the state.

The state pardon board will hold another meeting Thursday and consider some 30 cases. Among these are four for life imprisonment. The life men who want out are Russell Cottongame, Butler; Francisco Carioto, Erie; Michelo Sottosanti, Huron, and Martin Engenrt, Trumbull.

BLAKE.

Local Banker Named As V.P.

The Citizens' National Bank of Milford, O., at a directorate meeting Wednesday, re-elected its old officers, which included W. R. Fee, of this city, as vice-president. During his residence in Milford Mr. Fee was president of the bank. While Mr. Fee was being elected president of the Ohio Valley Bank here, he was simultaneously being re-elected vice-president of the Milford bank.

Improvement Hurts Trade?

The Gallia pike improvement is said to be responsible for a considerable loss in business to the city from the East Side.

Farmers from the vicinity of Wheelersburg, Powellsville and other points in the eastern part of the county are reported doing their shopping at Ironton, rather than take chances on getting over Damarin hill, which has been practically impassable most of the time.

Relative Is Dying.

James Ferguson, a shoeworker of Front street, received word Wednesday evening that his wife's brother, Samuel McCleave, a wealthy farmer and oil man, is dying at his home in Bridgeport, Ill. It was the first intimation Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson received that the relative was ill.

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Stuart's Calcium Wafers will clear the most obstinate complexion, because they go right into the blood and remove the cause of the trouble. The blood is cleansed of all impurities and foreign substances and these are quickly eliminated from the system. You'll notice a wonderful change in a few days—you will hardly know yourself in a week.

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You can obtain Stuart's Calcium Wafers at any drug store at 50 cents, and there is now no reason why anyone should be disfigured by pimples or any other skin eruption.

Knights of St. George Have Big Celebration

The Knights of St. George celebrated the 31st anniversary of the institution of the local commandery with a delightful social at Kendall's hall, Wednesday night.

Despite the flood situation and inclement weather, a goodly number of the knights and their ladies attended the affair. Dancing and progressive euchre formed the evening's diversions, the Gusto Trio discoursing sweet strains of music throughout the evening. Charles Sommer won the men's first prize, a fine umbrella, and his wife, Mrs. Margaret Sommer, captured the ladies second prize, a jewel case. Mrs. James Distel was awarded the ladies' first prize, a handsome cut-glass dish, and George A. Goodman won the men's second prize, a necktie. Those of the clergy who graced the occasion with their presence were Rev. Fathers T. Goebel and J. E. McGuirk, of this city, Rev. Father John Curran, of Columbus, and Rev. Father Cornelius Schneider, of Fredericksburg, O.

Much credit is due the committee on arrangements for the success of the affair. It was composed of George Balmert, Frank Busl, Herman Huels, Jr., Louis Kempf, Louis Melcher. The Knights have decided to give a series of entertainments from now on, instead of confining themselves just to one event annually. Caterer Adam Seel furnished the refreshments for Wednesday night's social.

JACKSON EDITOR AND HOLLYHOCKS

Editor D. W. Williams, of the Jackson Standard-Journal, shows his appreciation of a gift that was sent him some time ago by a Portsmouth friend, in a clever editorial, written recently.

Some one from Portsmouth sent Editor Williams a package of hollyhock seeds. He planted them and they grew to be so thrifty and beautiful that he was anxious to know from whence they came. He wrote an editorial, thanking the giver and asked to hear from the donor.

Wednesday the Standard-Journal printed the following letter:

Portsmouth, Ohio. Jan. 2, 1913—Mr. D. W. Williams.—Sir:—My weekly visitor was one day late, but all the same a very welcome one, as it brings me news from home, and I surely anticipate its coming. I will arise and make my bow to you, and tell you that I sent those seeds in the envelope.

Let me here say, the reason the plants are so thrifty is because the seed came from the Old Ladies' Home, here in the Peerless, where we grow large things. Here in this home are ten of as fine old ladies as you ever met. Now, to prove this, bring Mrs. Williams and self down and see us and our beautiful home.

Our lady matron, Mrs. Larsh, will greet you with her usual cheery greeting and make you twice welcome. Come sure. Enclosed you will find our dear, good matron's opinion of her large, good children. I am satisfied you could not find a finer set of old ladies anywhere. We will be glad to meet you or any of our Jackson people that may honor us with their presence. Wishing you a happy new year and a very successful one.

MRS. ELLEN WATSON,
Front and Chillicothe Streets,
Portsmouth, Ohio.

Mr. D. W. Williams—After seeing your notice of the hollyhock seeds, I want to say that if the flowers prove to be as healthy, thrifty and fine looking as the members of the Old Ladies' Home, from whence the seeds were sent, you will certainly have a collection and can justly be as proud of your hollyhocks as I (the matron) am of my family.

Authentic News Of Flood Conditions

Board of Trade directors are discussing plans for discouraging exaggerated reports of possible flood situations of the future.

It is hoped to interest all Ohio river cities and towns in the movement to establish somewhat of a censorship on news sent abroad, and which exaggerated reports are bound to prove injurious to one and all. A leading member of the board in speaking of the plans Wednesday, said the trouble this time was not caused by anyone here at home, but originated out of town. For example the word has been out for several days that the Washington hotel was in three feet of water and that the city's business district was flooded. The hotel as a result has suffered heavily in business all week. On Tuesday night alone there were twenty traveling men at the Chittenden hotel in Columbus, who were headed for Portsmouth, but one of them sprang the flood story on the party and all save one changed his mind about coming to Portsmouth. The Portsmouth Steel Company the other day had six mechanics hired in one of the large cities, but one of them had heard that there was a serious flood here, and all six balked on coming to Portsmouth. The board is not seeking to prevent or interfere with the legitimate and accurate news but merely seeks to have it confined to the real facts and as much as possible advertise the fact that Portsmouth has a good system of flood defenses.

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It is a harmless vegetable remedy put up in liquid form, is quickly assimilated and gets to the sick kidneys at once. If your kidneys are weak, inflamed or clogged up, Thompson's Barosma will put them in splendid shape again. If they are not diseased, this greatest of all kidney remedies will tone up your system, anyway.

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Fancy Plaids reduced from 50 cents to, per yard, only	25c
Fancy Scotch Plaids reduced from 25 cents to per yard	12½c
Fancy Striped Cotton Serge reduced from 25c to	10c
Danish Cloths in Tan, White, Pink and Brown, reduced to, per yard,	10c
All Wool Plaids 36 inches wide reduced from 50c to, per yard,	25c
Figured Mohair in Brown, Grey, Green, 42 inches wide, reduced from $1.00 to, per yard,	75c
Black Crepe Mohair reduced from 75 cents to per yard	35c
Figured Mohair Navy Blue, 48 inches wide, reduced from 75 cents to, per yard,	50c
Black Figured Mohair, 42 inches wide, reduced from $1.25 to, per yard,	65c

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BANK ELECTS OLD OFFICERS

Directors of the Ohio Valley bank, at a meeting Wednesday night unanimously re-elected its old officers, as follows: W. R. Fee, president; J. J. Burchart, vice-president; Filmore Musser, cashier; and H. B. Adams, assistant cashier. In April the bank will round out its third year. It is a prosperous financial institution and is getting its share of the banking business in Portsmouth.

The Choice Of A Husband

is too important a matter for a woman to be handicapped by weakness, bad blood or foul breath. Avoid these kill-hopes by taking Dr. King's Life Pills. New strength, fine complexion, pure breath, cheerful spirits—things that win men—follow their use. Easy, safe, sure. 25 cents.

Tremens Man Is Well Again

Police Sergeant Charles Hans received a card Wednesday from W. S. Thomas, the steelworker, who developed delirium tremens last week and ran his family out of the house with a butcher knife. Thomas writes from a sanitarium in Scottdale, Pa., that he has fully regained his health.

Are After Murderer

Police received a circular notice from the New York city authorities Wednesday asking them to aid in the capture of Thomas Kelly, aged 22 years, wanted for the murder of Otto Gettinger in a drug store there January 7. Chief Sam Phillipps as soon as he got his first glimpse of the young man's picture exclaimed: "I bet I know his father!" The chief said the fellow looked exactly like a man named Kelly who lived in Slabtown years ago, having moved into the city from Pond Creek. Officer Joe Stokley also thought the picture bore a striking resemblance to the Kelly referred to and whom he also well remembered.

Stray Horse Is Found.

Officer Ferguson found a stray horse wandering about the East End late Wednesday night. He took the critter to Haley's livery stable for safekeeping.

President Taft Has Honored Bible Class

That Portsmouth has a men's Bible class of more than ordinary calibre is evidenced by the fact that President Taft has taken cognizance of the Trinity Men's Bible class of this city, the largest in the President's home state, and has forwarded to the officials of the class a remembrance that will be an interesting exhibit hereafter in the class room where the class sessions are held. The class is working for an extraordinary large attendance this coming Sunday, when President Taft's recognition of the class work will be formally presented, and it goes without saying that every man who belongs to this big class will endeavor to be present. Here is the substance of a mailing card, 500 of which were mailed to men last evening:

President Taft Compliments Trinity Men's Bible Class

That the fame of Trinity Men's Bible Class (the largest in the State of Ohio) has spread throughout many states, is evidenced by the fact that President Taft has noticed and recognized our success to such an extent that he has honored the class by sending us something that we can place in our classroom as a treasured and most interesting recognition of the work done by Trinity Bible Class.

The marked attention President Taft has shown the class would be a compliment to any business, church, society or fraternity anywhere, and we have set apart Sunday, January 19th.

Men's Rally Day

As the day for the class to receive the honor President Taft has bestowed, and we urge every man who is not going to attend some other Sunday school to be present on Sunday morning. President Taft has honored us, let us honor him by having at least three hundred men present to receive his remembrance to us in recognition of our work.

Are we asking too much to insist that you make a special effort to be present Sunday and to bring a friend with you, providing, of course, you do not attend Sunday school elsewhere, or are pledged to attend some other school on this date.

Trinity expects every man to do his duty and be present.

Trinity Men's Bible Class
J. H. FINNEY, Teacher.
E. C. HOOD, President.
ED. CAMPBELL, Secretary.

Nothing In Report.

Police responded to a hurry call early Thursday to apprehend a woman who, it was reported, was preparing to abandon her baby. Investigation proved that the reports were unfounded. The family lives on Twelfth street, and came to Portsmouth from Kentucky.

Phone Oakes, A-343, for feed. adv—11-tf

COMFORTING WORDS

Many a Portsmouth Household Will Find Them So

To have the pains and aches of a bad back removed—to be entirely free from annoying, dangerous urinary disorders, is enough to make any kidney sufferer grateful. The following advice of one who has suffered will prove comforting words to hundreds of Times readers:

Mrs. Henry P. Ohl, 29 East Sixth street, Portsmouth, Ohio, says: "Doan's Kidney Pills certainly are fine and do all anyone could want. They are safe for women to use and give quick results. I willingly confirm the statement I made in 1909, recommending them. I was in bad shape on account of kidney trouble. The action of my kidneys was irregular and the kidney secretions were unnatural. My back ached and I had dizzy spells. At night I was restless and mornings I felt all tired out. I saw Doan's Kidney Pills at Fisher & Streich's Drug Store and used some. In a short time they made me strong and well."

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No. 32 Daily ..... 7:35 p. m.
No. 4 Daily (fast)..12:01 a. m.
No. 17 Daily ..... 7:10 p. m.
(Williamson to Portsmouth)

Columbus District—Westbound
No. 3 Daily (fast)..3:40 a. m.
No. 33 Daily ..... 7:25 a. m.
No. 15 Daily ..... 3:35 p. m.

Cincinnati District
No. 23 Daily (fast) ... 4:00 a. m.
No. 35 Daily, ex. Sun. 7:30 a. m.
No. 37 Daily ..... 2:20 p. m.
No 25 Daily (fast) .. 3:40 p. m.

Cincinnati to Portsmouth
Lv. 6:50 a. m. ar. P. 10:25 a. m.
Lv. 8:45 a. m. ar. P. 11:20 a. m.
Lv. 5:40 p. m. ar. P. 9:30 p. m.
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In effect Nov. 24, 1912.
No. 1 daily, fast train 7:11 a. m.
No. 3 daily, fast train 1:54 p. m.
No. 7 daily, local .....2:14 p. m.
No 5 daily, fast train 5:23 a. m.
No. 17 week days, local, 7:38 a. m.

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No. 2 daily, fast train 2:52 p. m.
No. 4 daily, fast train 11:52 p. m.
No. 8 daily, local .....11:30 a. m.
No. 6 daily, fast train, 9:22 p. m.
No. 16 week days, local, 7:15 p. m.

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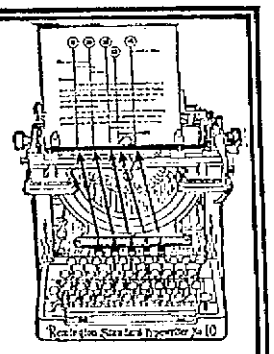

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WANTED

WANTED:—Washing and mending for gents. Phone Y 1157. 16-3

WANTED:—Six copies of last Saturday, Jan. 11th issue of the Times. Will pay 5 cents for each copy. Bring paper to the Times office and get your money. 16-1

AGENTS—And canvassers for new article used in every home, office, factory and garage. Sells for 25 cents. Thomas Breckenridge writes: "I sold the dozen in less than one hour." His profit $1.50. Hustlers making $5.00 a day. Address The Central Specialty Co., Coshocton, O. 16-5

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WANTED:—To buy second hand clothing and furniture, 922 Waller. Phone Y 1346. 14-6

WANTED:—Good girl in Gray's restaurant at once. 14-3

WANTED:—Boarders at 409 Waller St. 14-5

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FOR SALE:—6 room two story brick house 737 Front, two doors below Old Ladies' Home. Price $1800. Phone X 1361. H. A. Bierley. 3-12

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New 5-room, two-story house between Timmonds and Grandview, bath complete, pantry, front and rear porch, newly papered, renting for $20; easy terms $2250

Good 5-room cottage, Summit St., bath complete, 2 cabinet mantels, front and rear porch, large pantry, newly painted and papered $1900

Fine 6-room home with bath complete, Center St., reception hall, pantry, sliding doors, newly painted and papered, street assessments paid; easy terms $3000

New 7-room house Timmonds Ave., bath complete, pantry, sliding doors, front and rear porch, good lot, street assessments all paid; small payment $2900

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FOR RENT—One furnished light house keeping room, bath complete. 1024 Gallia St. 16tf

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FOR RENT—New two story six room house, modern, complete, 18th and Summit. Inquire at 1301 Grandview Ave. 16-3

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FOR RENT:—One large furnished room; bath and gas, for one or two gentlemen. Phone A 1436 or 1139 4th St. 3tf

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LOST:—Pocket book containing three $1 bills, two quarters, between 13th St. and Selby factory. Return 1117 13th. 16tf

LOST:—Some time this week, ladies' gold watch with pin attached. Reward for return to Lida Ruth Brooks, 1208 3rd St. Phone A 925. 16tf

LOST:—Either on street car or between N. & W. depot and southeast corner 9th and Waller streets, ladies' black velvet purse, containing letter addressed Mrs. Glen Rardin, Lucasville, O., care Clyde Brant, and spectacles in case. Finder return to Glen E. Rardin, 1652 11th St., Portsmouth, O. Reward. 15-2

LOST: On Chillicothe pike between hospital and N. & W. bridge one brown muff and pair blue kid gloves. Return to Times office. $3 reward. 15-3

LOST: Leather pocket book containing three $20 and one $5 bills. Return 416 4th. $10.00 Reward. 15-3

LOST:—Gold watch, name inside. Return to 1205 Offnere or phone B 653. 15-3

LOST:—Strayed or stolen, small black dog with collar and small bell on it. Answers to name "Sport". Reward for return John Linck, 912 Fourth. 14-3

LOST: Security Savings Bank purse, containing $27 in bills, also some change. Reward for return to 923 Chillicothe. 14-3

LOST:—Pocketbook containing between $45 and $50 on river front Sunday afternoon. Return to 818 3rd. Liberal reward. 13tf

LOST:—Gold bracelet, near 5th and Union. Return to 502 Union St. Reward. 16-2

STOLEN:—One Iver-Johnson bicycle with coaster brake and mud guards, color black with red head. Finder return to Tide Davenport and receive reward. 16-1

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Wife Also Files Suit For Legal Separation

Millard C. Finley, an N. & W. freight conductor, of No. 1220 Summit street, who a few days ago instituted divorce proceedings against his wife, Henrietta Prichard-Finley, alleging adultery, has just learned that she, too, has brought suit for a divorce at Huntington and has taken their two children, Archie and James, aged 4 and 3 years, respectively.

The children have been in the custody of Mr. Finley's widowed mother, Mrs. Mary B. Finley, at Dunlow, W. Va., since November, 1910, but through some means unknown the young mother got them away and their present whereabouts are unknown.

Mr. Finley and Attorney Robert C. Myers have decided to enter a defense of her suit in the Cabell county courts and are determined to regain possession of the children. The couple were married at Prichard, W. Va., five years ago, moving to Portsmouth June 30, 1907, and separating November 29, 1911. She began taking a business course in a college at Huntington. After a separation of eleven months Mr. Finley took her back for the sake of the children, but after two months, during which she is said to have refused to take care of the children, they again separated on December 30, 1912.

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MEETING IS HELD AT THE TERMINALS

A record breaking attendance was had at the machine shops at the Terminals Thursday noon, when Evangelist Brooks, assisted by his brother, Rev. Crayton S. Brooks and his singer, Jack Lewis, held noon-day services. The shops were crowded with men and all were impressed by the splendid sermonette of the evangelist. Mr. Jack Lewis and the ladies' quartet of the First Christian church gave several vocal selections. After the shop meeting there was a short service held in the lobby of the Y. M. C. A., when Evangelist Brooks spoke to the men on "Practical Christianity."

Samuel Adams, of 918 Findlay street, is very sick, suffering with pneumonial fever.

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Bound Over To Court On Charge Of Assault, News Of Police Court

Arch Kimball was bound over to the grand jury in the sum of $300 by Mayor Tynes, Thursday, for alleged assaulting with intent to kill Arthur, better known as "Dady" Smalley.

Quite an array of witnesses testified in the case and much of the evidence was conflicting, several witnesses giving testimony which tended to show that Kimball acted in self-defense. The assault occurred in Coriell's saloon at Fourteenth and Findlay streets, Monday evening. Smalley had been sleeping at a table, after being up a couple of nights, preparing for the flood. His hat fell to the floor a couple of times. Suddenly he began declaring it a shame to break a poor and hard workingman's only hat. He accused Kimball of the act. Kimball denied it and walked to the other end of the bar to avoid trouble. Smalley is said to have continued arguing the case, and finally made a rush towards Kimball, who picked up a beer glass and struck him with it several times, inflicting ugly wounds on the head. The testimony of Ed Doerr, John Mershon and John Buchert all seemed to favor Kimball, but the Mayor held an assault had been committed as charged and that his court had no jurisdiction.

Joe Abrams was fined $25 and sentenced to 10 days in jail for malicious destruction of property. Abrams and "Peck" King had been ordered out of R. L. Varney's Railroad saloon. Returning later, Abrams picked up a couple of bricks and standing in Tracy park, heaved them through a big plate-glass window of the saloon. The damage was estimated at $50. J. A. Riding, owner of the property, preferred the charge against Abrams. The jail sentence was suspended, pending a settlement of the damages.

Mrs. Thomas Lowe, colored, implored Mayor Tynes to order the release of her husband, now serving a jail sentence for making a gun-play ten days ago. She said she needed his support. The Mayor promised to investigate, after she assured him that Lowe was not a drinking man, but a good and industrious citizen.

THE MARKETS

NEW YORK STOCKS.
(By Associated Press.)

New York, Jan., 16—The last sale of stocks today was:
Amalgamated Copper, 72.
American Beet Sugar, 36⅛.
American Sugar Refining 115⅛
Baltimore & Ohio, 105⅛.
Chesapeake & Ohio, 76½.
Illinois Central, 128.
Louisville & Nashville, 139⅞.
New York Central, 106¾.
Norfolk & Western, 112.
Pennsylvania, 122½.
United States Steel, 63.
United States Steel, Preferred, 109¼.
Western Union, 70.

GRAIN MARKET.
OPENING
Chicago, Ill., Jan. 16—Wheat: May, 95 to 94⅞; July, 91¾; Sept. 90 to 89⅞.
Corn: May, 52½ to 52⅜; July, 53¼ to 53⅛; Sept., 54 to 53⅞.
Oats: May, 34⅝ to 34½; July, 34⅝ to 34½; Sept., 34½.
CLOSE.
Wheat: May, 94¼; July, 91¼; Sept., 89⅞.
Corn: May, 52½; July, 53; Sept., 53⅞.
Oats: May, 34; July, 34½; Sept., 34½.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.
Chicago, Jan. 16.—Hogs: receipts, 24,000; market, slow; mixed and butchers, $7.20 to $7.47½; good, $7.15 to $7.50; light, $7.00 to $7.45; pigs, $5.85 to $7.45.

Cattle: receipts, light; market, steady; beeves, $5.80 to $9.20; cows and heifers, $2.75 to $7.40; stockers and feeders, $4.80 to $7.60; calves, $7.20 to $10.65.

Sheep and lambs: receipts, 15,000; market, dull and weak; natives, $4.75 to $6.15; lambs, $6.75 to $9.00.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 16.—Cattle: supply, light; market, steady; choice, $8.50 to $8.75; good, $8.10 to $8.40; fair, $6.00 to $7.00; veal calves, $11.00 to $11.50.

Sheep and lambs: receipts fair; market, steady; prime wethers, $6.10 to $6.25; good mixed, $5.60 to $6.00; fair mixed, $5.00 to $5.50; spring lambs, $5.50 to $8.25.

Hogs: receipts, 20 double deck; market, active; prime heavy, $7.50 to $7.60; medium, $7.65 to $7.70; heavy porkers, $7.65 to $7.70; light porkers, $7.65 to $7.70; pigs, $7.00 to $7.50.

Here From Norwood.
Edgar Metzger, son of Jacob Metzger, former Portsmouth city fireman and cigarmaker, was a visitor here Thursday. Mr. Metzger is on the road for a Cincinnati cigar manufacturing concern. He and family now live at Norwood where he owns a fine residence. He thinks Norwood one of the most ideal places in the country to live in.

ATTENTION REBEKAHS.
All members of the Rebekah lodges are requested to meet at their hall this evening, Thursday, January 16, at 7 o'clock, to attend a called meeting to make arrangements for the funeral of Sister Anna Tilton.
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Dear Miss Wise:—Kindly tell me what kind of visiting cards to have engraved. I am the younger of two sisters. Z. O.

Miss Mary Louise Blank, in the old English.

Dear Miss Wise:—Is there anything that will restore color (blue) to a crepe de chine, where discolored by water and perspiration? H. D. W.

Try sponging it with household ammonia or simply hartshorn after wiping the perspiration stains with white vinegar. Ammonia may restore the color—at least in part. Sometimes it is entirely successful.

Dear Miss Wise:—I am 33 and engaged to a man one year and six months my junior. The man in question is of exemplary habits. His business takes up so much of his time that he has little left for recreation and he is settled in his ways and thoughts. While I am serious minded, I am not as old in appearance or ways as the usual young woman of 33. We have tastes in common, love the same pleasures and are both great home lovers. We are both in splendid health. I have had more time for books that he, while he is a great worker and money saver. He has accumulated several thousand dollars, and his main desire is to have a home all ready and paid for when we marry. Of course we love each other deeply. Do you think the difference in our ages would make a serious difference later on? Is it risky to take the step? E. G.

There are exceptions to all rules. Evidently yours is an exception to the rule that there is more happiness in store for the woman in middle life whose husband is several years her senior. It would look as if each of you were destined to fill out the weak places of the other and together make a couple that compensates Dame Nature for the many mismates who try to play at the game of hearts.

Dear Miss Wise:—I am a young woman 21 years of age and have been going out with a man very much older than myself, but he doesn't say a word about marriage. Would you advise me to continue to go with him? N. F.

Are you going with him for the express purpose and hope that he will propose to you? Is your object in marrying to have a home of your own and to be taken care of? Think it all over. Unless you have good and sufficient reasons for going out with a man much older than you, unless you respect him and enjoy his social friendship, aside from any thought that he may propose to you, let his acquaintance drop. Make up your mind that if you have an opportunity you will marry a man somewhere near your age and help him make a success of his life.

Lima Bean Salad.

One and one-half cupfuls of cooked lima beans, one-half teaspoonful salt, two tablespoonfuls olive oil, one-eighth teaspoonful pepper, one tablespoonful vinegar, lettuce, one teaspoonful horseradish, boiled dressing, one tablespoonful catsup, two tablespoonfuls minced pimentoes.

Mix pimentoes with beans. Combine oil, vinegar, horseradish, catsup, salt and pepper; add to beans, turning over till well blended, and let stand at least thirty minutes in a cool place, then add a little boiled dressing, place on lettuce and serve.

A Good Cleaning Hint.

If corn meal is put into the gasoline used for cleaning, the work will be sooner and better accomplished. The idea is particularly good for gloves that are very much soiled. The corn meal scours well.

It's Good For Insomnia.

An entire milk diet is an excellent thing for the woman who is troubled with insomnia. It is also good for the one who is so nervous that when she does go to sleep she has the sensation of falling and wakes with a terrific start. When these conditions exist it is well to subsist on milk alone for some time. A grown woman should take a pint of milk as a meal, but to keep her strength she should take four meals a day instead of the usual three.

SOCIETY FASHION

Says the Huntington Advertiser: "Complimentary to Miss Ruby Heaberlin of Portsmouth, who is her guest, Mrs. J. A. Moffett dispensed hospitality to a congenial party of young friends at her pretty Fourth avenue home. The home which opens up beautifully for an affair of this kind was decorated in choice cut flowers and greenery. Music and games were participated in, and their stay was only too soon over for the guests who were fortunate to be present on this afternoon's occasion. Dainty ices and cake were tastefully served."

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bayers of West Virginia, who have made Ashland their home for some time, are moving to Portsmouth, where Mr. Bayers has accepted a position. Mrs. Bayers will visit friends and relatives in West Virginia before going to her new home, says the Ashland Independent.

In the list of those who attended the enjoyable surprise party on Mrs. W. B. Halstead, the names of Mrs. Pearl Moore and Miss Nellie Joseph were unintentionally omitted. The children present were Marie and Clarence Schomburg, Alfaretta Winkler, Frances, Ward and Earl Halstead.

Mrs. D. L. Ogg of Ironton is the guest of her niece, Mrs. Eugene Crichton, of Fourth and Bend streets.

The East Portsmouth L. T. G. will meet on Friday afternoon, after school, at the residence of Mrs. Philip Pfarr, on Vinton avenue.

Mrs. Sarah Harman is serious ly ill with heart trouble at the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. H. Fritz, of Lincoln street.

Mr. August Deschler, of Chillicothe, was the guest yesterday, of his daughter, Mrs. Louis Hurth, of Clay street.

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The next meeting of the T. H. B. Club will be held in two weeks with Mrs. Harry Williams, of Ninth street.

Miss Alice Dever was hostess this afternoon to the members of the Scioto Bridge club, entertaining at the home of her sister, Mrs. Frank Moulton, on Second street. The next meeting will be held in two weeks with Miss Lollie Anderson.

Mrs. George Kricker went to Ashland, Ky., today to spend the week-end with her sister, Miss Katherine Fitzgerald.

Mrs. Clinton Murray and children have gone to their home in Chicago, after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Questel, of Fourth street.

Mr. Leroy G. Homodel of Washington, D. C., is the guest of his sister, Mrs. William Quinn, of Ninth street.

Edith Cumliss, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cumliss of 1544 Ninth street, is ill with a severe attack of rheumatism.

The regular monthly meeting of the Manly Sunday school board will be held this evening in the church.

The "white ribbon" division of the Manly Epworth league will give a "mystery" supper on Thursday evening, January 23, in the basement of the church.

On next Sunday evening Rev. L. I. Hart, pastor of Manly church, will give the third of a series of four sermons on "Home Folks," the subject next Sunday being "To the Young Women."

Misses Letha Adams, Ella Reasinger, Bell Burton, Nannie Dodds and Ion Dix are the committee in charge of the service. The high school pupils in Manly will render a song, entitled, "On the High Way," and Mrs. Hugh Williams will sing a solo.

Mrs. F. C. Goodwin and Mrs. Charles Spencer will entertain the members of the Art Circle on Thursday afternoon of next week, at the home of Mrs. Goodwin.

The Industrial Dames' Club met this afternoon with Mrs. David Poffenberger, at her residence on Third street, with two guests present, Mrs. Vernon Davidson and Mrs. O. C. Sprague.

The members present included Mesdames Milford Poffenberger, Samuel Johnson, James Naylor, George Lockwood, Charles Yeazel, William Beatty and T. C. Beatty.

At the conclusion of the needlework the hostess served a dainty repast. At adjournment the members were invited to meet with Mrs. Charles Yeazel, at her residence on Oakland avenue, in two weeks.

Mrs. N. W. Evans and daughters, Mrs. Lucien Doty and Miss Gladys Evans, have issued invitations for a Kensington on Saturday afternoon, at the Evans home, which will be the first of a series of four entertainments with which the hostesses will entertain within the next two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. F. X. Mercier (Anna Heuncke) arrived home last evening from New York City, where they spent a portion of their honeymoon. They are at home at 610 Clay street.

District Three, of the Second Presbyterian Ladies' Aid Society enjoyed a Kensington meeting yesterday afternoon, at the residence of Mrs. E. J. Morgan, on Glover street, with Mesdames W. D. Hosz and Oscar Wilhelm as assistant hostesses.

Forty women were present, who spent the afternoon with needlework, after which the hostesses served sandwiches and tea.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church met yesterday afternoon, in the church, with a large attendance of members, including five new members.

The hostesses were Mesdames W. H. Schwartz, J. W. Dunning, W. D. Tremper and F. L. Manning.

Mrs. Charles Storck led the devotions; Mrs. F. M. Baggs read a paper on "Immigration Tide," and Miss Margaret Miller read a paper on "Syria." A vocal solo by Mrs. Roy Lynn, with piano accompaniment by Mrs. C. F. Losh, was much enjoyed.

A nominating committee, composed of Mesdames C. F. Losh, Ben Hopkins and Miss Florence Richardson, were appointed preparatory to electing officers in February.

Mrs. John Wood and Mrs. John Ives were appointed a committee to collect dues.

The February meeting will be a winter picnic, and Mrs. Frank Amann will be chairman of the committee appointed to arrange for the affair.

The Tuesday Sewing club will meet next week with Mrs. Guy Williams, at her residence on Fifth street.

The Thursday Kensington club met this afternoon with Mrs. John Wood at her residence on Fourth street, with the following guests persent: Mrs. James Ettinge, Mrs. George Richards, Mrs. Dwight Barrett, Mrs. Frank Duis and Mrs. Anna Lake. At the conclusion of the needlework the hostess served delicious refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Stoebler went to Columbus yesterday, where Mrs. Stoebler underwent an operation in Grant hospital today.

Every Day Helps to Beauty

(From the Toilette Guide.)

"To remove superfluous hair on face or forearms, make a paste with a little powdered delatone and water. Cover the hairs, leave on two minutes, wipe off, wash the skin and the hairs will be gone. This treatment is less expensive than the electric needle and just as satisfactory in results.

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"Do not wash your head too frequently, as water dulls and deadens the hair. Just put four ounces of orris root in a fruit jar and mix this with an original package of therox. Sprinkle a little on the head, brush out thoroughly and it will take with it all dust, excess oil and dandruff. Therox makes the hair fluffy and beautifully lustrous."

Mrs. Edgar Wilson of Wheelersburg expects to leave the first of the week for Baltimore, Md., where she will undergo an operation for nasal trouble, in St. Johns' hospital.

The B. G. F. club will meet tomorrow evening with Miss Edna Korth at her residence on Summit street.

A fine baby son was born recently to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Steece of Ironton. Mrs. Steece is well known in the social circles of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Montague and young son, Harold, have returned to Butler, Pa., after an extended visit with Mrs. Montague's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Zeisler, Sr., of Glover street.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hurth entertained at dinner yesterday Rev. Father Cornelius Schneider, of Fredericksburg, Ohio, Rev. Father Curran, of Columbus, and Father McGuirk and Father Goebel of this city.

Mrs. Oscar Newman and sister, Miss Ruth Thompson, arrived home today from Columbus, where they have been spending the past week. Mrs. Newman has been in Columbus arranging their suite of rooms in the Lincoln hotel, which they will occupy the remainder of the winter.

The next meeting of the Hamilton Whist club will be held in two weeks with Mrs. Henry Bannon.

The following item of local interest was copied from the Ironton Register: "Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Rickey and niece, Miss Claire Simmons, will take their departure tomorrow for Jacksonville, Fla., to spend the remainder of the winter."

The Merry Twelve Kensington club postponed their meeting this afternoon one week, when Miss Katherine Stockham will be hostess.

Miss Katherine Stockham, Miss Edna Wilhelm and Miss Ollie Smith will furnish the music at the A. I. U. entertainment in the opera house this evening.

The H. T. M. club will meet with Miss Lola Craigmiles Monday evening.

Dr. Walter Daehler is spending a few days in Cincinnati on a business trip.

Mrs. John Kahmer has been quite ill for the past few days at her residence on Sixth street, suffering with acute indigestion.

Miss Annetta Cox of Latonia, is coming the last of the week for a visit with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hoobler, of Sixth street.

A NEW DEPARTURE

After being in the practice of medicine for 16 years, 12 of which being devoted to research along one line, I have reached the place where I feel I can treat one class of trouble with better results than all others. Therefore, I am going to use the methods of the business men to tell the general public what I am doing.

My work is the conservative treatment of Rectal Diseases. So many people who suffer from this trouble are anxious to be cured if they knew a cure could be effected without a cutting operation and loss of time from business. Many people are suffering from the prevalent disease of piles; many people have some form of piles and do not know what is the matter.

I will be glad to explain my method of office treatment to any one interested.

W. E. GAULT, M. D.

723 SECOND STREET PORTSMOUTH, OHIO.

ORDERED TO WORKHOUSE

One year in the workhouse was the dose handed to Mont Montgomery Thursday morning by the probate court, when he was arraigned on a charge of non-support preferred by his wife.

In charge of Officer Clark, Montgomery was taken to the county jail, but managed to give the officer the slip before he was finally lodged behind the bars. He dashed out Washington street with Officer Clark in hot pursuit. The prisoner was finally captured and placed in a cell.

PARK STORE WAS ROBBED

Thieves Wednesday night by breaking a side window, effected an entrance to Chris Malavazos' confectionery in the depot in Millbrook park. They departed with several buckets of candy and all the cigars they could conveniently carry. Goods were scattered promiscuously, as the visitors were bent on finding money. There is no clue.

This Home-Made Cough Syrup Will Surprise You

Stops Even Whooping Cough Quickly. A Family Supply at Small Cost.

Here is a home-made remedy that takes hold of a cough instantly, and will usually cure the most stubborn case in 24 hours. This recipe makes a pint—enough for a whole family. You couldn't buy as much or as good ready-made cough syrup for $2.50.

Mix one pint of granulated sugar with ½ pint of warm water, and stir 2 minutes. Put 2½ ounces of Pinex (fifty cents' worth) in a pint bottle, and add the Sugar Syrup. This keeps perfectly and has a pleasant taste—children like it. Braces up the appetite and is slightly laxative, which helps end a cough.

You probably know the medical value of pine in treating asthma, bronchitis and other throat troubles, sore lungs, etc. There is nothing better. Pinex is the most valuable concentrated compound of Norway white pine extract, rich in guaiacol and all the natural healing pine elements. Other preparations will not work in this formula.

The prompt results from this inexpensive remedy have made friends for it in thousands of homes in the United States and Canada, which explains why the plan has been imitated often, but never successfully.

A guaranty of absolute satisfaction, or money promptly refunded, goes with this recipe. Your druggist has Pinex, or will get it for you. If not, send to The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

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THE WESTERN GIRL
COMING NEXT SATURDAY
Popular Matinee 10 and 25 Cents.
Night Prices 10c to 50 Cents.

PARCEL POST FIGURES

Statistics compiled by Assistant Postmaster David Thomas in regard to the amount of parcels post business done between the first of the year and January 15, show that the number of packages delivered amounted to 2,427, and the number dispatched 2,857. The average weight of incoming mail was one pound and fifteen ounces and the average weight, per parcel, or dispatched mail one pound and four ounces. These figures are demanded by the postal department at Washington.

Bike Riders Collided

Clifford and Robert Wilson, of 1815 Offnere street, while out on their bicycles Wednesday afternoon, collided at the corner of Eleventh and Offnere streets and Robert was thrown heavily to the ground. He was stunned by the fall, but soon regained consciousness and was happy that no bones were broken.

THE RAINFALL

The rainfall for the past 24 hours amounted to only .28 of an inch according to Weather Observer Dr. Harry Schirmann.

The stockholders of the Fullerton canning factory will meet on Saturday, January 18, to transact several business matters.

Two Gus Kehrers In Town.

The fact that there are two Gus Kehrers has caused Gus Kehrer, of 916 Waller street, some little embarrassment. Mr. Kehrer, of Waller street, is employed at the Selby shoe factory, and is not the Gus Kehrer who travels for a whiskey firm.

Moves His Barber Shop

Chris Wagner, satisfied that there was no further danger of a flood, moved his barber shop back into the Findeis room on Market street, Tuesday.

Has Located Here.

Vincent Tose has taken a position in the plant of the Portsmouth Steel company and has moved his family to this city. He closed a deal Thursday for a five-room cottage on Seventh street, which he purchased from Merle Dudutt.

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Opera Cream is now used by Actresses and society women in all the cities, when making up for the street or fancy occasion, when desirable to look nice and still not have powder showing on the face.
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Some are low as half prices. Some are less than half price. You never have purchased such great values in many a year as are now being sold at Marting's Dress Goods Department. They are selling quickly too so do not fail to get a share of them. Here are a few of these choice ones.

Your Choice For 25c Per Yard

Several pieces of 50c Plaid Goods, Brown, Green, Tan and Gray Wool Voile. Three pieces of Persian Velveteen and Novelty Voiles are in this lot. Colors are White, Black, Tan, Gray, Brown, Green, etc., 27 to 42 inches wide.

$1.25 and $1.50 Fancy Corduroys, Velveteens in Gray, Navy, Brown, 26 inches wide for only 89c

Your Choice For 39c Per Yard

$1.00 quality of Crepe in Black, Navy, Green and Copenhagen. One piece each of Tan and Navy Silk Poplin and several good patterns of $1.00 quality Plaids 44 to 50 inches wide.

FANCY SILK BRAIDS AT 2c AND 10c
That are worth more than double their prices. Come and get a share.

Unexcelled Values at 95c Yd.

Worth $1.25 to $1.50 per yard.
In this assortment are fine Broadcloths, Herringbone Serges, Novelty Weaves, Whipcords, Diagonals, etc., in Black, Navy, Brown, Green, Gray. 44 to 62 inches wide.

LET US SAVE YOU MONEY ON YOUR NEW SHOES
We can do it at this great sale.

ENORMOUS INCREASE IS SHOWN IN CITY EXPENSES IN PAST YEAR

How to keep up the current running expenses of the city for the first six months of 1913 and keep them within the estimated revenue from all sources is quite a problem that is confronting city officials.

This was demonstrated by the new appropriating ordinance passed by council Wednesday night. The city begins the year with an outstanding indebtedness, or overdrafts, in the several funds, amounting to $40,000. This shows a deficit in four out of the six tax levy funds, save the safety fund, and that was due to the loss of the saloons. It was expected that with the return of the saloons, when they were voted back in, the city would receive $30,000 revenue, in addition to the increased city duplicate, there would be some relief. The expenditures amounted to a larger sum in 1912 than ever before.

An idea can be gained by comparisons of the amounts of increase. The safety department, in 1912, spent $52,541.93, as against $41,340.77 in 1911.

The service department spent $71,602.63 in 1912, as against $60,572.55 in 1911.

The city hospital spent $13,880.54 in 1912, as against $10,528.21 in 1911.

Even the health and library boards caught the fever, the former having expenditures amounting to $4,163.52 in 1912, as against $3,112.75 in 1911. The library board spent $4,216.66 in 1912, as against $3,528.28 in 1911.

The only fund that was held down was the general fund, which showed an increase of only $1,500, which is explained by damage claims having been paid out. The general fund spent $23,111.88 in 1912 and $20,632.36 in 1911.

The waterworks spent $41,457.77 in 1912, as against $33,787.93 during the year before.

The cemetery fund shows $1,647.23 spent, as against $4,266.47 in 1911. These two latter funds are maintained by their own earnings.

Thus it will be seen that the cost of the safety department approximately has been $1,000 per month more in 1912 than in 1911, and the service fund shows an even larger increase from the fact that in 1911 out of the $90,500 expenditures, $6,000 of that was contract work for sewer extensions ordinarily paid out of bond issues, while the only extra expenditure out of the general fund in 1912 was the opening and grading of Eighteenth street, which amounted to $1,400. This shows the service department cost $1,500 more per month than the former year. These figures do not include interest on certificates of indebtedness issued for the various funds in either year, nor are there any transfers included. They are actual running expenses of the city government.

The funds will realize something more from taxes this year, due to the fact that no levy was made, last year, for general purposes, it being thought that its expenses could be met from the Dow-Aiken tax and other small incomes. Its levy netted nearly $10,000 in 1912, and has been distributed over the balance of the tax levy funds, the old tax rate being retained. The finance committee, auditor and solicitor, however, have made close computation and were obliged to shave down the estimates in nearly every department, as indicated by the following appropriations for the first half of the year:

General fund, $9,451.50; safety fund, $26,032; hospital, $7,600; library, $2,000; service, $30,075; water works, $12,810; cemetery, $3,005; public health, $3,050. So, if all departments spend as much in the two halves as they get, they will be spending as much as they did last year.

The Board of Sinking Fund trustees, with a view of trying to get the city within the Smith one per cent tax rate, cut down its levy from 2 mills to one mill. As a result, instead of having 1.20 in 1913, it got it at 1.10 and was the only department to make a cut. In 1912 it expended $159,501.60, as against $115,590.57 in 1911.

GOLDEN HAIRED BOY IS SOUGHT BY OFFICERS

(By United Press.)

Van Wert, O., Jan. 16.—A 14-year-old boy, with golden curls, dressed in knee pants and wearing a blue serge cap, is the quarry of Sheriff Wilson, deputies and a heavily armed posse of farmers who are scouring the countryside below Ft. Jennings and Delphos.

The youth has left a train of misdeeds between Elwood, Ind., and Ottawa, Ohio. At Elwood he stole a horse and buggy from a farmer. Driving to Berne, Ind., he stopped at a blacksmith shop to have the rig repaired. Under the pretense that he had urgent business in the country he borrowed the blacksmith's horse and new buggy and disappeared. At Monroe Center, Ind., the youthful thief stole a saddle from a rural mail carrier. Making his appearance at Van Wert on Tuesday the boy hitched his horse and buggy in the business section of the town. He hired a closed cab and horse from Frank W. Manchol, a liveryman, declaring he wanted to drive into the country to see his father. Then hitching one stolen rig behind the other the young thief made his escape.

Another horse was stolen by the thief at Ottawa, Wednesday. He is believed to have disposed of the two stolen rigs enroute, as when last seen he was riding on a new horse at a rapid rate into the country.

ADMITTED HE SOLD LETTERS

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, Jan. 16—Written acknowledgements from Charles Stump on Aug. 1, 1905, that he disposed of certain Standard Oil letters to Mr. Chamberlain and Mr. Mooney, of the New York Journal, for a consideration, was placed in evidence today before the senate committee investigating campaign contributions by George Stump, brother of Charles Stump. George said he got his brother to sign the papers.

George Stump testified that the statement was prepared in the Standard Oil Co.'s New York office. It was signed, he said, at his brother's home and Mohr was not present when either the witness or his brother signed it.

Get Shipment of Globes.

A shipment of globes for the lights at the Mill street pumping station was received from the Westinghouse Lamp company at the city building Thursday.

Goes To Pt. Pleasant.

H. F. Harmon, government contractor in charge of the work of the work on the local postoffice, left Thursday on a short business trip to Point Pleasant.

FAIL TO FIND MISSING VESSELS

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, Jan. 16—After a 13 days search the revenue cutter Seneca reported by wireless that she was unable to find the bark Harry Winslow or the schooner Fugure. With the cutter Androscoggan, however, the Seneca will continue the search. Revenue cutters are still hunting for the merchant bark Dorothea.

Indians Robbed

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, Jan. 16—Charges of gross frauds against the Indians on the White Earth reservation in Minnesota, that their physical and material condition is pitiful, and that Major James McLaughlin, Indian inspector, did not properly guard the Indian interests in the allotment of lands, were made to the house today by the report of the commission on expenditures in the interior department. The report asks that some remedy be found by congress for the present situation.

Valuable Satchel Stolen

(By Associated Press.)

Chicago, Jan. 16—W. D. Wade, president of the Australian Marine Fibres Co., Limited, a foreign corporation, who arrived here today on his way to London, Eng., reported to the police that a satchel containing stocks in the company to the par value of $400,-000 had been stolen from him in a Chicago railway station. He said the satchel also contained the company's financial statement and other reports and valuable papers belonging to the corporation.

SCARLET FEVER EPIDEMIC AT DELAWARE

(By United Press.)

Delaware, O., Jan. 16.—With six girls confined in the isolation ward of the hospital, every precaution is being taken today at the Girls' Industrial school here to prevent an epidemic of scarlet fever. Supt. Charlotte Dye today stated that the cases already developed were light and that the situation was well in hand.

Miss Mary Wheeler, of Toledo, is in charge of the fever patients, assisted by Dr. Mary Wilson. It was said that the disease was brought to the institution by two girls committed from an orphans' home.

WITH THE CHURCH REVIVALS

In spite of the bad weather Wednesday night, there was a good attendance at the revival services being held by Rev. Freeman Chase in the Hutchins street Baptist church. Although there were no accessions to the church, at the close of the meeting, there were a number present who expressed their intention of joining the church in the near future.

The meetings will continue through this week and next.

Rev. Chase's sermon Wednesday night was a special one to the church members. His subject was "Faith." He made a strong plea to the members on their faith in Christ and His work and he made each one feel a keener interest in the little church.

"Unless you have faith and show it in your church, you cannot expect outsiders to have much faith in you," said Rev. Chase. "The true Christian will take a stand and no matter what the world says, he will be faithful to his church and religion."

Bigelow Revival

Rev. Alfred Hughes held a large congregation in deep interest Wednesday night during his splendid sermon on "Today if ye shall hear His voice harden not your hearts." In part he said:

"How do we hear God's voice? Sometimes by going to the Bible, though many perversions of the truth are today gaining large circulation. However, there are enough teachings here about which there is no dispute, that we may be sure that God speaks to us through them, if we come to the Bible trusting in the spirit of God.

"Again, sometimes God speaks directly to the human soul. If this is not so, how can we explain the awful burden of conviction that settles down on a soul when little has been said by men to him!

"Again, in olden times we read that God spoke to men through prophets. Often the message brought was not welcome to the people. The great prophets from that day to this have received messages from God and, each in his own way, proceeded to drive them home to the people.

"If the voice of God comes to us and we refuse to listen to it, the inevitable result is hardening of heart. This condition always means selfishness and a self-centered life.

"Sin kept in the life brings about a hardening of the heart. We must be careful lest we are cherishing sin without being fully aware of it.

"Then some of us actually harden our hearts through sheer stubbornness. We boast of our will power and then use it to keep us from doing what we know we ought to do.

"Again, some of us can harden our hearts by criticism and fault-finding. No revival was ever so conducted as to please everybody. The one who stands back and criticizes in a carping manner, not only hurts the work but hardens his own heart.

"Many of us harden our hearts by inactivity. You know how some Hindu devotees hold the arm in one position until it becomes atrophied and useless. Just as it is in the Christian life. Whatever appears to you to be your duty you must do if you would keep the hardening process from your heart.

"Finally, if you are not a Christian, you are hardening your heart by procrastination if you say 'Not tonight.' You can get a habit of refusing until there is no desire to yield. "Today if you shall hear his voice, harden not your hearts as in the day of the provocation.'"

At the close of the services two persons expressed their desire to unite with the church.

Christian Church

Evangelist William T. Brooks, who is in the midst of a most successful revival at the First Christian church, certainly bore down hard Wednesday evening, sparing neither church member nor sinner, and all the time driving home truths and facts that he clinched with the hammer of truth.

His sermon was delivered to a packed audience, and was one of the best meetings since the revival began, a little over ten days ago. Rev. Brooks is one of the most forceful and eloquent pulpit orators ever heard in this city, and the interest in the meetings increases with each service. Rev. Brooks uses no billingsgate, and does not seek to wound the feelings of those who are not of his faith. He presents the truth as he sees it, using the purest of diction, but nevertheless making things plain.

Previous to the sermon last night, Rev. Brooks and Jack Lewis, the Welsh tenor, sang a duet. Rev. Brooks can sing some, too, an accomplishment that is quite rare among evangelists.

At the close of the sermon, four persons stepped out on the side of the church and made the good confession, bringing the total number of accessions to 71. It now looks as though the 200 mark would be reached before the meetings come to a close.

In his sermon last night, Evangelist Brooks said in part:

"It isn't coming to church and listening to the sermon that does you good, it is that part of the sermon you digest and apply to your life that does you good. Every man ought to take a stand somewhere or on something, don't be a leaner. If Christianity is right, then take a stand for it.

"A lot of men are cowardly. A man who isn't a Christian, but who has a good wife and children who love the Lord Jesus Christ, is a coward.

"Seventy-five per cent of the school teachers are women. That is because women are smarter than men, you ask? I don't believe it. A man ought to be a leader of his own home. A man should be a man. You can give up your sinful habits if you are a man.

"A man isn't right unless he backs up his prayers. In running the Christian race you must be strong in the faith.

"We have no man-made creed. We take the Word of God as a rule of our faith and practice. That is why we are strong and growing stronger. If we have the truth, nothing can harm us.

"The three hardest words to say are: 'I was wrong.'

"It is wrong for a Christian to fight, and it is certainly wrong for a minister to fight.

"We have more sore-footed Christians than anything else. Men will climb three flights of stairs to attend a political meeting, but not three steps to attend a prayer meeting.

"A good many churches are 'clubbed' to death.

"Satan is always shooting fiery darts. Satan is always saying the church is full of hypocrites. Turn them all aside by the shield of faith, then the devil can't touch you. Get down the old book, brush the dust off of it and study it.

"I don't read anything in the bible about churchanity, but I do read a whole lot about church activity."

German Methodist

Although the heavy rain Wednesday night kept a number away, there was a good crowd out at the German Methodist church to hear the prayer service of the pastor, Rev. F. J. Baumann.

Tonight Rev. Albert Baumann of Lorain county, who is visiting his brother, Rev. F. J. Baumann, will deliver the sermon.

The sermon Wednesday night was taken from Proverbs, 23:26, "My son, give me thine heart." In part Rev. Baumann said:

"Proverbs were written by Solomon, who was known as the wise man, when he was an old man. They contain the best thoughts of a long life. Solomon's advice to this generation is just as important as it was when first given. He advises the young to enter into God's service in early youth.

"God wants the whole life and not a part of it. When requisition is made to give our hearts to God, He understands it to mean not only our bodies, which are of the earth, but our soul life, which is of God. We are created after God's own image and therefore we are related to Him.

"We are made for eternity and untold possibilities are within us if properly directed. The sinner who has wandered from God is controlled by worldliness. He has become a slave to Satan and hence is an enemy to God.

"It is this perverted heart that God requests of the sinner. He wants the wanderer to become reconciled to himself. He wants the sinner to come with all his sins and not to try to reform himself but to give God the opportunity to do that.

"Not only is your money and physical strength desired, but your whole heart, your confidence and your love. When God has your heart He will have all your faculties under control and will be able to shape your character according to His high ideals of manhood and womanhood.

"God has the first right to your affections, because He is your creator. No one knows your needs as well as He does; no one can supply them as well as He. If a pipe organ gets out of order it takes a mechanic to adjust it, and so it is with God. He knows our needs because He is our creator.

"He is your savior. He volunteered to die to save you. He is tremendously in earnest about your salvation. Although He is honored by the holy angels who can show Him more reverence than we, but He says 'Give me thine heart.' If we refuse to accept Him as our redeemer now, we shall have to face Him as our judge who will declare judgment over our conduct.

"The question will not be 'What will ye do with Jesus,' but 'What will He do with me.'"

DEADLOCK NOT BROKEN

(By Associated Press.)

Charleston, W. Va., Jan. 16—After taking twelve ballots today in an ineffectual effort to elect a presiding officer the state senate to prevent the house of delegates from adjourning sine die recessed until four o'clock this afternoon. Acting on the belief that there was little chance of the senate organizing today many members returned to their homes. It was stated that fully 30 members refused to sign the call for the Republican senatorial caucus for Friday night.

REFUSED TO BE ANNEXED

(By Associated Press.)

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 16—Oakley, a village, near here, which was recently annexed to this city, has two governments today, Mayor Keller and the other local officials of Oakley claim that irregularities in the annexation were illegal and that they will not give way to the officers of Cincinnati until the courts decide the question at issue.

PASSES SENATE

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, Jan., 16—The legislative and executive appropriation bill carrying also nearly $20,-000 to continue the commerce court until June 30 next, was passed by the senate today and now goes back to the house.

MONEY PROBERS HEAR INTERESTING FACTS

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, Jan. 16—That the present concentration of money and credits is a potential "menace to the country" was asserted before the house money trust committee today by Geo. M. Reynolds, president of the Continental and Commercial National bank, of Chicago. Mr. Reynolds said that he knew of the "trend towards concentration of money and credit" and that he thought it a dangerous thing. "I am opposed to the concentration of any sort of power," he said. Mr. Reynolds added that he was opposed to the principle of interlocking directors in potentially competing concerns and that he had adhered to that principle throughout his banking career.

An organization of 20 geographically located clearing houses with authority to issue loan certificates convertible bonds on demand into government currency at 50 per cent of their face value was proposed to the house currency reform committee as the natural solution of the currency problem by W. A. Nash, president of the Corn Exchange Bank of New York, and former president of the New York clearing house today. Mr. Nash said the clearing house contemplated in his plan practically would be the regional banks.

Confronted with a week's delay in its hearing the house money trust committee was again forced to postpone the tentative closing of its inquiry today. The committee expected to conclude this week but Samuel Untermeyer will be unable to attend sessions until next Tuesday. This will delay the framing of a report of the house for the present congress and will throw the final adjournment to February. Owing to congestion of appropriation bills at the end of the session remedial legislation during this session will be impossible.

Kirkby Is To Plead

(By Associated Press.)

Columbus, O., Jan. 16—William Kirkby, of Toledo, former state railroad commissioner, indicted for bribing former Representative Nye, of Waverly, was served with indictment papers here today and probably will plead guilty or not guilty to the charge against him late this afternoon.

CASTRO HAS APPEALED

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, Jan. 16.—Cipriano Castro's appeal from the decision of the immigration commission in New York, barring him from admission to the United States, was received by Secretary Nagel, who will give it immediate consideration. The secretary will first take up the decision of the special board of inquiry which held that Castro's refusal to answer certain questions regarding his connection with the assassination of General Paredez in Venezuela, amounted to an admission, according to the commission, of a crime involving penal servitude or an obstruction to the legitimate affairs of the administration officers to ascertain facts to determine his right to enter this country.

FLOOD RELIEF

(By Associated Press.)

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 16—For the relief of flood sufferers along the Ohio and Wabash rivers in Indiana a member of the lower house today introduced a bill appropriating $10,000 and authorizing Gov. Ralston to give whatever aid needed.

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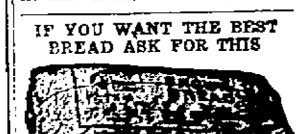
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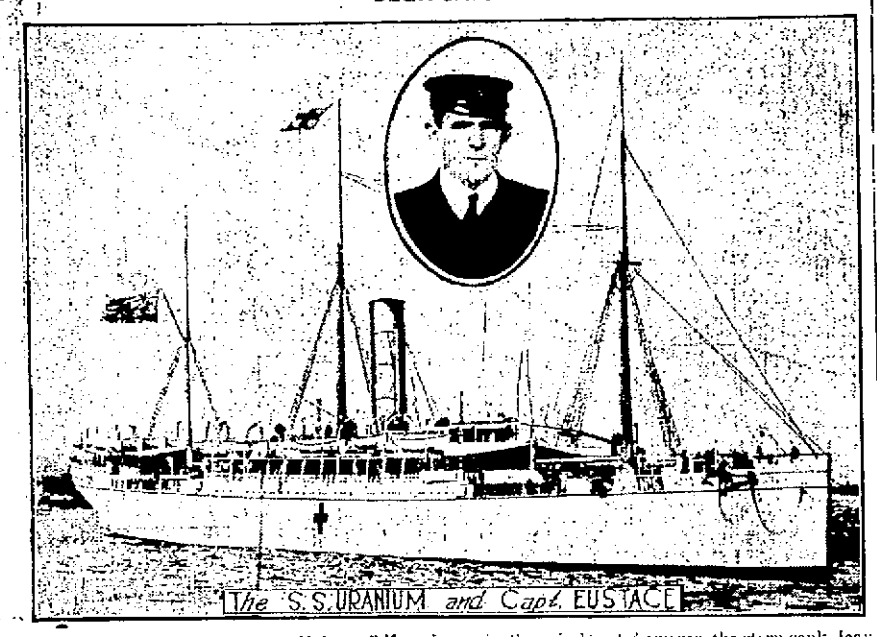
CAPTAIN AND CREW STICK TO STEAMSHIP ON THE ROCKS AFTER 883 PASSENGERS HAD BEEN SAFELY MOVED FROM THE WRECK



Halifax, N. S., Jan. 16—Several hundred of the passengers rescued from the steamship Uranium, which is stranded on the rocky promontory a few miles from the entrance to Halifax harbor, have been sent to New York by train. Eight hundred and eighty-three passengers were taken off the stranded steamship by vessels sent out from Halifax. Captain Robert Eustace and his crew remained aboard the stranded vessel, with tugs standing by to take them off if a change in the wind should make the position of the vessel more dangerous. The ship is hanging by her bow to the rock on which she had run. The impact had made a great hole in her bow, and the forward compartment was flooded. Captain Eustace, it was reported, was confident that his ship could be saved if the wind did not change. When she struck the tide was about half on and the vessel was level for a time. As the tide went out, however, the stern sank, leaving the bow towering above. Great praise was showered upon the officers and crew of the Uranium for the way in which they handled the difficult situation on board the vessel. The fact that every passenger was taken safely from the stranded ship and landed at Halifax within a few hours after she struck was regarded as a marvel of efficiency on the part of the steamship's crew and the rescuing craft.

In Near-by Cities

Ironton, O., Jan. 16—City Fireman Jim Watson is shy a meal ticket today. Jim and a jag went to bed last night and when an alarm of fire came in both refused to get out of bed to go and fight the flames. Fire Chief George came, saw and forthwith fired Jim and his jag off the city pay roll.

Ironton, O., Jan. 16—The Kelly Nail & Iron Co. made one change in its directorate, F. C. Tomlinson taking the place of the late W. A. Murdock. The following directors were named: Oscar Richey, F. C. Tomlinson, Austin Kelly of Ashland, Mrs. D. Gregory Wright, D. S. Gray, H. E. Bradley and W. C. Willard of Columbus. The same organization was retained, Mr. Richey being elected president and general manager, Austin Kelly, vice president and T. J. Hayes secretary and treasurer.

Vanceburg, Ky., Jan. 16—Lee Cooley, who has been confined in the county jail on the charge of burglary and carrying concealed weapons, escaped Tuesday night. He had help from the outside as both locks had been unlocked with a skeleton key.

Garrison, Ky., Jan. 16—Lee Cooley was arrested on a charge of robbing the home of George Kidwell on Grassy. He had a gun on him when arrested and Judge Lee fined him $25 and costs, and gave him ten days in jail, when he was arraigned before him at Vanceburg. Part of the stolen goods were found on Cooley and he was held to circuit court under $200 bond on this charge.

Huntington, Jan. 16—Huntington has a new disease. It is said to be caused by over-indulgence in the Turkey Trot and is called Three Day Grip. There were 225 cases in town Wednesday and doctors did a rushing business.

Chillicothe, O., Jan. 16—A stranger left an almost new auto tire and a hammer at a business house here and when he failed to reclaim them they were turned over to the police. The man who brought the articles rode the bumpers of a freight train into this city, carrying the heavy tire and hammer with him, but where he disappeared to no one seems to know. It is thought possible the fire may belong in Portsmouth. The tire shows little evidence of wear. Its dimensions are 36x4 inches.

Buys Home In Peerless

James Kehoe has purchased a house on New Seventh, between Brown and Adams streets, of Merle O. Duduit. He and Mrs. Kehoe have gone to housekeeping there and the latter's brother, Attorney Mark A. Crawford, is roaming with them. Mr. Kehoe has taken a position at the Portsmouth Steel Company's plant. He has let the farm he recently purchased near Wheelersburg.

Child Out Again.

Thelma, young daughter of Carpenter Jack Lewis, who was attacked and almost choked by an unknown man near Seventh and Market streets a few nights ago, is again able to be about and has fully recovered from the shock.

When The Snow Blows

and outside cold demands an "inside" warmth to make folks cheery---

For breakfast, there's nothing quite so comforting as a dish of good hot porridge.

Post Tavern Special

Makes a delicious dish for the morning meal.

The new food is a skillful blend of the flavours and rich nourishment of wheat, corn and rice.

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Delicious "Syrup of Figs" For A Bad Liver Or Sluggish Bowels

This gentle, effective fruit laxative thoroughly cleans your Stomach, liver and 30 feet of bowels of sour bile, poisons, gases and clogged-up waste.

A harmless cure for sick headache, for biliousness, for a sour, gassy, disordered stomach, for constipation, indigestion, coated tongue, sallowness, pimples—take delicious Syrup of Figs. For the cause of all these troubles lies in a torpid liver and sluggish condition of your thirty feet of bowels.

A teaspoonful of Syyrup of Figs tonight means all poisonous waste matter, the undigested, fermenting food and sour bile, gently moved on and out of your system by morning, without griping, nausea or weakness. It means a cheery day tomorrow — many bright days thereafter.

Please don't think of gentle, effective Syrup of Figs as a physic. Don't think you are drugging yourself, for luscious figs, senna and aromatics can not injure anyone.

This remarkable fruit preparation is a wonderful stomach, liver and bowel cleanser, regulator and tonic, the safest and most positive ever devised.

The day of violent purgatives, such as calomel, pills, salts and castor oil is past. They were all wrong. You got relief, but at what a cost! They acted by flooding the bowels with fluids, but these fluids were digestive juices. Syrup of Figs embody only harmless laxatives, which act in a natural way. It does what right food would do—what eating lots of fruit and what plenty of exercise will do for the liver, stomach and bowels.

Be sure you get the old reliable and genuine. Ask your druggist for the full name, "Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna," prepared by The California Fig Syrup Company. Hand back, with scorn, any Fig Syrup imitation recommended as "just as good."

A CARD ON THE CITY GOVERNMENT

Editor Times—The Blade, this morning, says that the city officials have a knock for the flood wall, and say that the splendid work they did at the flood defense pump stations really saved the city. Now, that sounds like the old narrow-minded, scheming gang politician. Anyone who has watched the progress of the present flood knows that the city officials were caught unprepared and that for the first few days they slept on duty. There were the flood pumping stations, and all that was necessary was for them to have been kept up and in readiness. Instead they were neglected and a part of the city was overflowed before they were not even in partial operation. Had these same city officials been alert and of the right kind, there would not have been a drop of water anywhere in the city and no alarm. For the suspense, the expense to merchants by flooded cellars was all due to the awful carelessness of somebody in connection with the flood defense stations. I would think that the city officials would be glad enough to allow the public to forget for a time those pumping stations, which, through their own neglect, allowed water to back up in the city, while not a drop came in through the cement flood wall.

All the flood walls in creation will not keep water out of Portsmouth unless there are intelligent officials to take care of them and to see that every unit is not only in working order, but is actually doing the work required of it. And that brings to my mind one way provided by law by which we might get rid of these political gangs like that which now rules the city, more for their own interests than for public protection. This present gang is Republican in name and is particularly odious. But when we oust it permanently next fall, as we citizens will do, have we assurance that another gang will not be builded up that in time will grow as neglectful as the present one? Why not our citizens take up the new commission plan of government and work out a plan under it that will give us an efficient, honest, non-partisan city government that will not be a spoils administration, but one in which proper ability and good service alone will count. I ask citizens to think of this suggestion.

PORTSMOUTH CITIZEN.

Shuberts Quartette Made Decided Hit

Scoring a decided hit, the Schubert's appeared at the high school auditorium Wednesday night and delighted a capacity audience. The entertainers deviated from the path of conventional entertainment, giving an informal program, mixing the selections, and rendering them with a vim and snap that heretofore has been totally foreign to this class of entertainment. It is putting it mildly so say that the large audience was pleasantly surprised with the evening's offerings. Financially, pleasurably and musically, the Schuberts scored.

The audience enjoyed the entertainment, the students of the high school reaped the receipts and are thereby assured of a complete line of new song books, and the Schuberts received such an ovation as to erase all doubt as to their favoritism.

Solos, duets, quartets, readings, a playlet were all included in the program. Classical and popular music were at the command of the entertainers. To the troupe, composed of Orl Bohannan, tenor and impersonator; Mrs. Jean Bohannan, soprano and accompanist; Miss Caroline Neumeat, contralto and reader; and Louis H. Kennedy, baritone and pianist, is paid many favorable compliments for the evening.

Eagles To Initiate

Included in the class of candidates to be initiated tonight by the local Aerie of Eagles are Judge Jas. S. Thomas, Mayor Fred N. Tynes and Druggist Dan Thomas. A banquet will follow the ritual work and one of the best attended meetings in several months is looked for.

Move To New Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lauffer moved Thursday to their newly acquired home on Sixth street, which they recently purchased from Contractor O. D. Foster. The latter has given up the idea of heating in Florida.

REAL TREAT IS COMING

Much pleasure and profit are anticipated from the illustrated lecture that will be given Friday evening at the Y. M. C. A. building by Dr. R. Y. Henley. His subject will be "Battlefields of the Civil War," and during the evening he will tell about 50 battlefields that he has visited, and will also show pictures that he had taken. It is hoped that a good sized crowd will be out.

If fear of punishment prevents Sin and Crime, why is it that one of the largest church organizations, which believes strongly in HELL and Torment, have the largest percentage of criminals and Infidels have the smallest percentage? adv 15-2

Will Begin On Samples

The Excelsior Shoe Company will begin work Friday on their next season's samples. This firm will turn out about 3,000 pairs of shoes and the line is to contain many novelties.

Changes Of Residence.

C. Gray, proprietor of the Bismarck cafe, Thursday moved from the Hilltop district to apartments over his place of business on Gallia street.

The new Parcel Post Map, showing zones and rates, $1.00. W. W. Reilly & Co. 225 adv

Fine Program At Y. M. C. A. Tonight

"The biggest attraction of the season," is what the hustling managers of the local Y. M. C. A. are saying about their entertainment for this evening, and judging by some of the profitable and interesting events of the past few weeks, tonight ought to be a regular red letter event. There will be plenty of good music, some drills, lectures and a few short talks which will be of interest.

The program will be as follows:

Piano recital by M. F. H. Kinsey.

Opening address by Charles W. Ridenour.

Three short addresses by Harry Huddleson, Dr. R. Y. Henley and Mr. Kinsey.

Demonstration work by 14 Boy Scouts, including practical work in first aid for the injured and semaphore signaling.

Drill work by 12 Boy Scouts under Mr. Huddleson.

The Scouts who will participate are: Carl Helmsin, John Schlichter, Charles Bagge, Gerald Matthews, Harry Blake, Wilson Liston, Oscar and William Monk, Russell Bryant, Thane Wilson, William Hopkins, John Crawford, John Imboden Hudson and Earl Bonzo.

Cut The High Cost Of Living

W. H. Chapman, Winnebago, Neb., tells how he did it. "My two children had a very bad cough and the doctor's medicines di them no goo. I got a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, and before it was all used the children were free and cured of their cough. I saved a doctor's bill for one 25c bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound." A mean stuffy cold, with hoarse, wheezy breathing is just the kind that runs into bronchitis or pneumonia. Don't trifle with such serious conditions, but take Foley's Honey and Tar Compound promptly. Contains no opiates. Fisher & Streich. adv

OFFICES ARE NOW MOVED

The Portsmouth Steel Company Thursday completed the task of moving their offices to the First National bank building. Final inspection of the plumbing in their suite of rooms was made Wednesday by Contractors Roehe and Bruner, of Cincinnati. More than 80 people are employed in the offices of the steel company.

Goes To Indianapolis.

George D. Selby left Wednesday for Indianapolis, where he will attend a meeting of the Manufacturers' Association of Indiana. He will return Friday.

ARRESTED FOR NON-SUPPORT

A shoeworker giving the name of John Snyder and who claimed his home was in Portsmouth, was arrested in Cincinnati Wednesday on a charge of non-support, the affidavit being sworn to by his wife, Mrs. Nettie Snyder. When arraigned Snyder pleaded not guilty and was remanded to jail in default of a bond fixed at $200.

Purchase Fine Home

For the consideration of $4600 Misses Lucy and Mary Herald and their sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Doyle, have purchased the Thomas home on Glover street near Sixth street. The dwelling will be remodeled and the new owners hope to occupy it by May first. The deal was closed by Chas. V. Wertz. This seven room, modernly constructed home will take the place of their residence and business block on Gallia street which they recently sold to Dr. S. D. Ruggles.

TWO BILLS BY HUDSON

Columbus, O., Jan. 16—Senator Hudson has introduced a bill asking congress to appropriate money for public highways. He also introduced another bill providing for a state licensing and examining board for civil engineers.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETINGS

At a recent meeting of the stockholders of the East End Furniture Co., the entire directorate was re-elected and the officers selected for another year. The officers are: W. C. Bussa, president; James Miller, vice-president; George Bullock, second vice-president; O. H. Clostermann, secretary and general manager; Nettie Feldtmanch, treasurer. The other directors are C. W. Cox and E. W. Lawson.

This firm during 1912 enjoyed an exceptionally successful year, and prospects are bright for a banner year in 1913.

The Jos. G. Reed Company, wholesale dry goods and notion dealers, at a stockholders' meeting recently re-elected all of the former directors: Ed T. Reed, W. H. McMurray, Mrs. Anne N. Reed, Ed J. Gins and H. B. Mangin, of Catlettsburg, Ky. Mr. Reed was re-elected president and treasurer; Mr. McMurray, vice-president, and Mr. Gins, secretary.

The Portsmouth Brewing & Ice Company's stockholders at their annual meeting re-elected the old board of directors, which organized by re-electing Paul Eschborn president and treasurer and George Zeisler, secretary.

The Baster Novelty Company's annual stockholders' meeting resulted in the re-election of its present directory. Earl Adams was re-elected president and manager; Will Adams, vice president; Mrs. Earl Adams, secretary, and Dan W. Conley, treasurer. They together with Salem Shaw, comprise the directory.

To Decorate Columbia

The contract for redecorating the Columbia theatre on Gallia street has been awarded to E. H. Shubert, of Cleveland, who has a force of decorators at work. Fine progress is being made and the house will be opened in a few days.

New Cafe Is Opened

Charles Watson has opened his new cafe in the Spellacy building on Second street near Market. He has one of the finest appointed bar rooms in the city. The bartenders will be Lou Herder and "Red" Bohannon.

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This coupon is good for one trial package of Gauss' Confirmed Catarrh Cure, mailed free, in plain package. Simply fill in your name and address on dotted lines below and mail to

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APPEAL FOR CLEMENCY

Columbus, O., Jan. 16—A petition was made to the state pardon board today for clemency for [illegible] H. McMillen, serving nine years in the penitentiary from Scioto county for burglary. He was sent [illegible] 1906.

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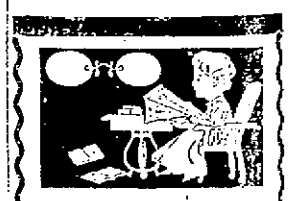

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EVENING TIMES SPORTS

B. B. Enthusiasm High At Ironton

Ironton, O., Jan. 16.—It was reported Wednesday morning that Mac McClintock, the newly elected manager of the Nailers, will arrive in this city in a short time to look over the prospects for the team next season.

He has a line on several likely youngsters and expects to begin at once to fortify the team so that it will in truth be a pennant contender.

He should be able to secure quite a bunch of material because of the fact that he is known all over the state and the managers of many of the higher class clubs speak a good word for him and express their intentions of aiding him in every way possible.

Baseball talk is growing stronger day by day and enthusiasm will be rampant before many weeks.

Everywhere is heard praise for the new manager and business men and every one will unite to help make the work of the officials lighter.

"They Kick You When You Are Up," Believes Ritchie

Los Angeles, Jan. 16.—"Talk about kicking a man when he's down—they kick twice a hard when you're on top," says the new lightweight champion.

"My fight with Wolgast was a tough one and I left the ring with a few scratches that wouldn't heal over night. I was entitled to a few weeks of rest and had a legitimate right to grab some stage money." (Willie didn't mean what those last two words sounded like).

"I haven't said that I wouldn't grant Wolgast a return match. I never said that I would raise the lightweight limit an ounce. I have done nothing to suggest that I wouldn't defend my title against any and all comers. Why should the knockers start swinging on me before my hands were out of the bandages?"

Ex-Ohio State Umps Hears The Can Rattle

Columbus, O., Jan. 16.—"Bits" Berhalter will not umpire in the American association next season. He received a notification from President Chivington Tuesday that he had been released and it is probable that an appointment will be made to fill his place at once. He umpired in the Ohio State league several seasons ago.

President Chivington did not state why he had released Berhalter. He was considered the best judge of balls and strikes in the league last season and did uniform good work. During the latter part of the season he was taken ill because of the intense heat and laid off for some time.

Recently "Bits" opened a cafe on East Long street in partnership with "Bunk" Congalton, and he will probably continue in this business. He said that he had no plans for the future and as far as he knew would not handle the indicator next year.

Mack Signs Bushers

Al McClintock, new manager of the Ironton Nailers, writes local friends that he has signed five youngsters for the up river club and that he is going to put a winner in that city.

Here's hoping, as a winner there means a winner here and splendid gate receipts in both cities. Now if Huntington will rake up a fast club the rivalry between the three cities will be intense. McClintock will report for duty in Ironton, April 1. He is now employed in a wholesale dry goods establishment in Columbus.

Believes Eddie Is Long Lost Brother

Believing that Eddie Meehan of the Cleveland is her long lost brother, Miss Frances E. Meehan, of 433 East McKibben street, Lima, O., has written to Mr. Meehan to secure a little ancestral information from him.

Mr. Meehan stated today that he had no relatives in Lima that he knew of, but to make sure of it he gave the genealogy of the wing of the Meehan family to which he belongs and will wait for developments. Miss Meehan found Eddie's name on one of the sport pages in the Lima newspapers and she sat right down and wrote him a letter, making anxious and searching inquiries into his family.

Tommy Murphy May Get Chance Against Wolgast

Ad Wolgast and Tommy Murphy, the ... lightweight, may be seen in a ...round battle on the Pacific coast in the near future if Willie Ritchie, ... of the championship, adheres to his determination not to meet Wolgast ... until he has picked up some easy money in theatrical engagements and ... some minor pugilists.

Murphy has been showing remarkable good form of late, and good judges are of the opinion that he would put up a stiff argument, although ... Wolgast should win. Of course there is no telling how good Wolgast will be in his next battle. He has gone back some since he had that severe attack of appendicitis, and it is possible that his recent severe battle against Ritchie may have had a bad effect on the ex-champion. If Ad is not as good as he was previous to the Ritchie battle, Murphy is bound to cause him some annoyance. Murphy is fast and skillful, and he has had years of experience, which has made him crafty and dangerous. But if Wolgast is the Wolgast of old when they meet, Murphy will not go the limit of 20 rounds with him.

JOE CARR AFTER THE PRESIDENCY

...ed, O., Jan. 16.—The new Interstate Baseball league, composed of ... virtually was the western section of the Central league, expanded to an eight club organization here ... Beyond the increasing of ... to an eight-club affair little ... done. Election of officers was ... the race for the presidency ... between Will McKay, former ... director of Cleveland; Nate Cook, ... this city; R. H. Dawson, of ...ville, and Joe Carr, secretary of the Ohio State league.

The following clubs were represented: Akron, O.; Canton, O.; Youngstown, O.; Erie, Pa.; Zanesville, O.; Wheeling, W. Va.; Steubenville, O.; Johnstown, Pa.

The season will open about May 1, and close September 15, with 140 games. Officers will be elected January 27 in Steubenville.

Less than a year ago Johnny Kling was sent to the Boston Nationals a tail-end club, by the Chicago Cubs in a trade. Today he has an offer of $6000 a season to catch for the Reds.

Clark Griffith hasn't given up hopes of winning the American league pennant just because Frank Chance has signed to manage the New York Yankees. "It will only make the fight a little harder for us," is the way the Old Fox takes in the situation.

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THE CRIMSON STAIN IN CINTI.

Joe Tinker has trapped the jinx that attacked so many Cincinnati managers with fatal results and dragged the Reds down to the mire of blasted hopes year after year. The red stockings worn by the Cincinnati players are to blame, says Joe. Garry Herrmann has refused to change the color scheme of his team, but Joe has effected a compromise. Next season the Reds will wear crimson hose, with a wide band of white just above the shortstop. That will banish the jinx and the Reds will win the pennant.

CHIEF WILSON CLEANS THE BASES TWICE.

The National league's team of timeliest hitters would be made up of Alexander of Philadelphia, and Meyers of New York, as battery men; Konetchy of St. Louis, Doyle of New York, Zimmerman of Chicago, and Sweeney of Boston, as infielders, and Wagner and Wilson of Pittsburg, and Murray of New York, as outfielders. These men put the finishing touches to 722 tallies.

Thirty-five hits were made in the National last season that swept the bases clear of their three tenants. The only player who twice turned this trick was Chief Wilson of the Pirates, he making a triple with the hassocks congested off Dickson of Boston, and a homer when three were on off Steele of St. Louis. That there was class to New York's pitching staff is shown by the fact that only once during the year was a long hit made off a Giant twirler that brought in three runs. Lee Magee of the Cardinals, made this wallop off Jeff Tesreau when acting as an emergency hitter.

BIGGEST FROST ON RECORD

Cincinnati's new pitcher, Ray Frost, stands six feet five inches in his stockings. Rube Marquard is built on the same lines, but Frost should not be discouraged.

FOSTER, OF GIANTS, HAS QUEER SPORT ENTRY.

John B. Foster, recently appointed secretary of the New York Giants, had a funny entry into the profession of sport writing. He had been working in various departments of a newspaper, when one day he was ordered to go out to cover a ball game, a sport which he had always been densely ignorant. But he covered it so well he was made a member of the sporting department, and has been a sport scribe ever since.

JOE JACKSON SIGNS PAPER

Greenville, S. C., Jan. 16.—Joe Jackson, outfielder of the Cleveland Americans, who was reported to be one of the holdouts for an increase in salary, today forwarded his signed contract to President Somers. Jackson announced he was satisfied with the raise given him, but declined to state the amount.

SYMPTOMS APPEARING

Hank O'Day is still at large in Chicago, but we are reliably informed that he has sent out his blue trousers to be creased to a razor edge. As soon as Hank has his mask fitted with new mud-guards he will probably "sign up." We say "sign up" advisedly. Hank was manager of the Cincinnati Reds last season.

F. CHANCE EXPECTS TO ALTERNATE WITH CHASE.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 16.—Frank Chance, the new manager of the New York American league team, returned to his orange ranch at Glendora today. He said he would leave home February 4 for New York.

"Will you be a bench manager?" he was asked.

"No," was the reply. "I expect to play first base some of the time. Chase and I will alternate, probably."

Connie Mack of the Athletics says there will be no holdouts on his club in the spring. Some of his players did their holding out while the 1912 season was in progress.

Bunk Congalton, the veteran outfielder, may be traded by Toledo to the Omaha team in the Western league. Bunk, who is a former major leaguer, may not play ball next season, but go into business at Columbus.

Marion May Again Break Into League

Columbus, O., Jan. 16.—Columbus may move its Akron club to Marion in the new Interstate league. Marion has promised to raise $200 a year to have a team there, and asks no share in the running of the club. It is impossible for Columbus to keep the team at Akron. There is opposition there, and if Akron has a club it will have to purchase it outright from Columbus.

Chance's Salary

According to W. A. Phelan, sporting editor of the Times-Star, Frank Chance's new contract with the New York Highlanders calls for 20,000 per season, with a privilege of 5 per cent of the earnings. The mighty McGraw only gets $18,000. What a paltry, measley salary! Hardly care fare in New York. "Say, pal, slip me one of the cigarettes you are smoking," gasped the wise boob at this remark.

Crawford Says Speaker Made Greatest Play He Ever Saw

(By Sam Crawford.)

The geratest play I can remember ever seeing was turned in by one of the members of the Boston Red Sox—a modest young Texan named Tris Speaker.

A few years ago in a game played between Detroit and Boston at old Bennett park Speaker made a play which I always have conidered the greatest I ever saw, although I am not sure I can make the fans see it just the way that I did.

Speaker was playing fairly deep when one of our boys sent a fairly easy fly hit in his direction. I never saw a man come in after the ball any faster than Tris did after that one. As I watched him I thought there was not the least chance for him to miss the ball and the catch seemed sure and easy. I am not sure I can make the fans see it just the way that I did.

Speaker ran in a very short distance, but when the ball descended to within 25 or 30 feet of him he stumbled and fell. It was a regular fall, too, for Tris was flat on his stomach.

Although sprawled out on the ground and at full length, Speaker never took his eyes off the ball. He tried to get up on his feet, but couldn't, and so put every effort into a lunge forward. He slipped down onto one elbow again, and in this position reached up to make the prettiest catch I believe I ever have seen.

It would not have been a very swell play had Speaker not fallen, but Tris made the play a wonderful one by his great quickness and skill.

Ty Cobb made a catch last summer that was a great one. It was of a different order than the one that Speaker made.

A short fly was hit to center field—one of those low, fast-falling flies that are so hard for a fielder to get to. No one thought Cobb could possibly reach the ball, and some of us feared that if Ty came in too close the ball would bound under his hands and scoot through for an extra base. I certainly was tearng my legs off trying to back him up.

But Ty did not need any backing up on that ball. At the last moment, seeing that he could not make a catch if he held his feet, he dived out for the ball and as he slid on his stomach along the grass he managed to get his gloved hand under it.

The ball stuck in his glove, too, although Cobb's face was rubbing along the turf.

All close games are exciting to me, but I guess none was ever more so than the 17-inning game we played against the Athletics a few years ago.

At that time the game meant a lot for both teams, for Detroit feared the Athletics more than any other club, and it means a whole lot to us ball players to get out at the big end of an extra inning battle.

The excitement attendant upon going inning after inning when the least slip may lose the game in a twinkling is something tremendous, and to have eight such innings in a game with the hard-hitting Athletics is about my most tense experience on the ball field.

FIGHT GOSSIP

Jack White, the Chicago scrapper, will not box Joe Hartman, the Cleveland featherweight, at Springfield per schedule, the Clark county promoters having decided to call the proposed 20-round engagement off for some reason or other.

Tom Jones, the manager of Wolgast, is very anxious to handle the affairs of Jesse Willard, in hopes the latter will be able to take Luther McCarty's measure when the heavyweights get together. Jones and Wolgast dropped $15,000 between them betting against McCarty in his fights with Flynn and Palzer and are after revenge.

Luther McCarty will appear at Columbus, O., on March 17 in a 12-round bout. He has not been informed by the Capital City promoters just who his opponent on this occasion will be.

Jim Savage is scheduled to fight Tom Kennedy at New Orleans on January 24. Savage has been showing exceptionally good form since he placed himself under the management of Danny Morgan.

Jack Britton and Harry Trendall may meet before a St. Louis club on St. Patrick's day. If Britton cannot fight Trendall on this date, Joe Mandot will be secured for him.

Gunboat Smith and Jesse Willard are likely to furnish the next heavyweight attraction on the coast. Smith has consented to fight the Texan and Jimmy Coffroth has wired Willard for his terms in a bout to be staged on February 12.

BASEBALL

Mike Kelley of the Indianapolis club, has signed Pitcher Anderson, a Bates college star. He will be given a trial with the Hoosiers, but it is thought that Manager Kelley will turn him over to the Springfield club for further seasoning.

Charley Dooin is hot on the trail of Bill Bixey, brother of Eppa Bixey, the college twirler who made such a hit with the Phillies last year. Bill is a right-hand pitcher and is said to be in the same class with Eppa.

One dollar is the top price to be charged at Charlie Comiskey's ball park this season. "To charge more would be an imposition," says the Chicago White Sox magnate. "Commy" must be expecting Jimmy Callahan to turn out a weak club, according to this.

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At the Railroad Cafe, 921 Chillicothe street, with each drink chili con carne. I hold the premium of Ohio for making chili. It is really made from the Mexican pepper and powder. No fake. Try a bowl.

K. L. VARNEY, Prop.
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Goes to Kenova.

R. E. Scott, the local N. & W. passenger agent, went to Kenova on company business Thursday.

WATKINS FARM IS SOLD

Deeds filed for record at the court house Thursday, brought to light a recent important real estate deal, through which Thomas B. Watkins disposed of his splendid farm in Nile township to George B. Wittman. The consideration of the deal was an exchange of properties, Mr. Watkins receiving three excellent pieces of properties in the Timmonds addition and $2,000 in cash for his farm, consisting of 405 acres. The farm is known as the old stone house place, just above Buena Vista. Mr. Watkins, who is now employed as an inspector on the new water works job, expects to move to the city soon.

Eggs Are Quite Cheap

Eggs are wholesaling at 25 cents a dozen, according to local commission merchants. Owing to the high waters, there has been a slight scarcity of the "fruit." Farmers have been unable to market their supply. Local retail dealers are getting between 28 and 30 cents for eggs.

Election Postponed.

The election of officers of the Kendall avenue Baptist church, which was to have taken place Wednesday night, was postponed until next Wednesday, January 22, owing to the high water surrounding the church.

SPECIAL PRICES FOR THIS WEEK

1 dozen good Eggs	..25 and 30c
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Has Clue To Robbery

Lefty DeBerrienne, a salesman employed at G. M. Warder's store on Second street, has furnished the police with a probable clue to the Three Little Tailors' robbery.

DeBerrienne informed the police that a colored young man came into the Warder store on Tuesday evening and offered to sell a fine tailor made suit. DeBerrienne suspected it was stolen property and refused to buy it. He says he knows the fellow on sight but had never heard his name.

Returns to Chicago.

Harry Ware, traveling shoe salesman for the Excelsior and Irving Drew Shoe companies, returned to Chicago Wednesday.

Here From Bluefield.

Pietro Casalini, a well-known Italian hotelkeeper of Bluefield, W. Va., visited Portsmouth friends Wednesday and Thursday.

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RAILROAD MEN ORDER STRIKE BALLOT TAKEN

New York, Jan. 16.—Mediation efforts to settle the dispute between the Eastern railroads and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen came to an abrupt ending last night, when a strike ballot was ordered.

It was announced that mediation efforts looking toward the demands of the roads' firemen for increased wages and better working conditions have been brought to an end, because it had become apparent that the controversy had not yet reached a stage where mediation offered much prospect of success.

Charles P. Neill, United States Commissioner of Labor, and Martin A. Knapp, presiding judge of the United States commerce court, have been acting as mediators under the Erdman act, which has been invoked by the parties to the controversy. Commissioner Neill made the announcement last night of the discontinuance of mediation conferences, stating that both Judge Knapp and himself agreed that the time was not ripe for efforts along this line.

W. S. Carter, president of the Brotherhood of Firemen and Enginemen, after the dismissal of the mediation proceedings, announced that a strike ballot was being prepared and would be distributed at once.

About 35,000 men are affected, of whom some 25,000 are locomotive firemen and 10,000 locomotive engineers, who recently have been promoted from the position of firemen, but retain their membership in the firemen's organization. President Carter expressed the belief that a majority of the members of the union would vote to strike.

Fifty-four railroads, including all lines east of Chicago and north of the Ohio and Potomac rivers are involved in the dispute, which Judge Knapp and Commissioner Neill have endeavored for nearly a week to settle by arranging a course whereby the matter could be brought to arbitration.

CAPACITY HOUSE WILL GREET A MODERN EVE

The seat sale for "A Modern Eve," which comes to the Grand Friday evening, opened with a decided rush this morning, and by noon the biggest sale, with the exception of that for "Louisiana Lou," had been recorded. A capacity house is sure to greet the Singer production tomorrow evening. This is the last musical comedy booked for this season, unless some of the other topnotchers decide to hit this territory in March. Those who like this kind of an entertainment should be sure to see "A Modern Eve." It is said by every Portsmouth resident who has seen it to be the best musical comedy of the year, and it is sure to please.

The popularity of "A Modern Eve" lies in its catchy music and its splendid dancing. The dancing will be a revelation even to the blase theater-goers. The company requires three coaches to transport it, two sleeping cars and a baggage car. It will come here from Charleston and Huntington, and then goes to Lexington.

With the water falling so rapidly, the basement of the opera house will be in commission again Friday night, and the furnace will be working again.

The Sciotoville cars will also be running and everyone who wishes will be enabled to see the attraction.

Paul Esselhorn, of the Portsmouth Brewing & Ice Company, was a business visitor in Ironton, Thursday.

CARD OF THANKS.

In this hour of our greatest bereavement our hearts go out in grateful appreciation of the many kindly acts and words of sympathy during the sore trial of the passing of husband and father. To Rev. Hopper and Rev. Scott; to the gallant old boys of Bailey Post, G. A. R.; to the ladies of the W. R. C. and S. V. Aux.; to the Sons of Veterans; to all friends, and to the many who sent beautiful flowers, we thank you.

Mrs. L. M. Sickles and Family.
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Loan Agent In City.

Earl Applegate, who is in charge of a loan office at Steubenville, Ohio, is home on a short visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Applegate, of Third street.

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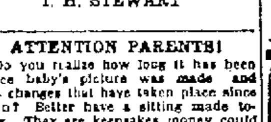

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Rehearsal Is Held

The first rehearsal for the entertainment to be given by Companion Court of the Narcissus, No. 456, was held at the Harugari hall, Wednesday night. A "school day program" is to be rendered on Wednesday night, January 29.

Perry Euth of 727 Third street, is quite ill threatened with fever.

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FORTY THOUSAND STRIKING GARMENT WORKERS PARADE IN NEW YORK AND THEN HOLD BIG MASS MEETING IN UNION SQUARE

New York, Jan. 16—Between 35,000 and 40,000 striking garment workers made a show of strength under the eyes of their employers by a great parade through the manufacturing district, which ended in a mass meeting that overflowed Union Square. Though some of the speeches delivered by orators in three languages sizzled with condemnation of the clothing manufacturers and the conditions which the garment workers are protesting against, there was no violence during the whole course of the parade and ensuing mass meeting, and by order of the union heads red flags were barred. Benjamin Schweitzer and Max Pine, leaders of the strike, made speeches.

Ladies To Banquet Men Of All Saints

The ladies of the Parish Aid of All Saints church will serve the banquet to be given at the lecture room on Fourth street tonight at 6:30 o'clock. The banquet will be given by the vestry in honor of all male communicants, friends and adherents of the church above the age of 18.

The guests of honor will be Rev. Dr. Reese, rector of Trinity church of Columbus and Bishop-Coadjutor elect, and Mr. Wilfred O. Prohack, one of the leading laymen of the diocese and a member of the Columbus Trinity vestry. These two guests of honor will be the principal speakers of the evening. Among the local speakers will be Dr. S. P. Porter, chairman of missioners, who will speak on "The Every Member Canvas"; H. S. Grimes, "The Financial Possibilities of All Saints"; Eugene Knox, "Some Parochial Figures." Mr. Knox's talk will be illustrated by charts. Rev. E. A. Powell, the rector, will make a short address.

Those who have expressed their inability to attend the banquet are urged by all means to attend the meeting later.

The law office of Geo. M. Osborn has been removed to Rooms 14-17 Turley building, erstwhile occupied by Judge Oscar W. Newman. Home 'phone 91.
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Baby Girl Has Come.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Joyce at the Terminals Thursday morning. The father is a well known N. & W. engineer.

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GIVE BREAD TO SUFFERERS

Baker Jake Pfau sent another big supply of bread to the flood refugees at the Campbell avenue school building Thursday and also sent quite a number of loaves to the public safety department for distribution. Baker Louis Kern also sent a wagon load of cakes and pies to police headquarters. Officer Joe Stokley lined up the boys and girls sheltered at the Second street school building and each was given a share of the supply.

Hints For Housekeepers

Keep Foley's Honey and Tar Compound always on hand, and you can quickly head off a cold by its prompt use. It contains no opiates, heals and soothes the inflamed air passages, stops the cough, and may save a big doctor's bill. J. P. Higgins, Stanton, Wis., writes that "One bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound cured me of a bad cough. I find it a sure cure for coughs and colds." In a yellow package. Fisher & Streich. adv

WAITED ON THE RIVER TO FALL

For three hours Wednesday night Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hewitt waded around in their home on Front street, waiting patiently for three inches of water to disappear from the floors of their home. "We actually waited three hours for this trick to be turned, so you can see for yourself how slowly the Ohio is dropping back," said Mr. Hewitt.

MANY SHOES SHIPPED

The Selby Shoe company had another busy day in its shipping room, Wednesday, nearly 5,200 pairs of shoes being shipped out to various customers in many states. The force is now turning out almost three pairs of shoes daily.

S. S. WORKERS WILL MEET

Representatives of every Sunday school in the city are to meet tonight at the United Brethren church for the purpose of exchanging pledge cards. Prospects for a larger church attendance in all the Sunday schools in the city are very bright for Sunday. It is thought that fully 4,000 will be present in the various Bible schools Sunday.

Horse Had Hemorhages

A horse attached to an American Steam Laundry wagon fell at South and Findlay streets several times Thursday morning. It developed that the animal was suffering from hemorhages. It was taken to Dr. Hall's hospital for treatment.

NEW Y. W. C. A. IS TO BE THROWN OPEN TO THE PUBLIC ON FRIDAY

"You are cordially invited to attend the opening of the Young Woman's Christian Association at the corner of Second and Gay streets, Friday afternoon and evening."

That is the welcome that is extended to the citizens of Portsmouth, and everyone should take advantage of the invitation.

A treat is certainly in store for the visitors, and many surprises will greet them at every turn. There are few persons who realize the enormity of the opening of the Young Women's Christian Christian Association, and tomorrow's reception will not represent, except in a very small way, the great amount of work done by the ladies who form the different committees.

Members of the gymnasium committee will greet the visitors at the Second street entrance. They will then be met by members of the executive board, who will introduce them to those in the receiving line. Other members of the gymnasium committee will act as escorts in showing the guests over the entire building, and will finally conduct them to the dining room on the first floor, where dainty refreshments will be served. After the serving of the refreshments the guests will depart from the Gay street entrance, thus avoiding a confusion at the Second street entrance.

For months workmen have been busily engaged in making changes in the interior of the "Grimes." Many changes have been made and all have been for the better. On entering the attractive Second street entrance and turning to the right the visitor will be ushered into the assembly room, which is a large, light and attractive room in brown and red. Roomy window seats, comfortable chairs and beautiful pictures make it an ideal retreat for the girls, who will find much pleasure in social gatherings here. On the same floor as the assembly are eight bed rooms which have been furnished in neat and attractive style and at each window are dainty white swiss curtains. There are five large baths and two lavatories in the building, all conveniently arranged for the roomers. To the left of the assembly room is the general secretary's office and a general room, which will be used for meetings of the board, directors and all committees, also other bed rooms.

Extensive changes have been made on the third floor, which was fitted up for flats. Hallways have been cut through the rooms, making several additional bed rooms. Several of the rooms on this floor have not been furnished, but as the demand is made for them, they will be fitted up as desired by the girls.

A winding stairway leading from the Second street entrance will take the visitors down to the first floor, on which is located two dining rooms, the house secretary's office, a class room, rest room and a parlor. Back of the left dining room are two kitchens and a serving room, and in the basement a laundry has been fitted up, which may be used by any of the girls who wish to do their own laundry. The annex, which is now being used by the flood sufferers, will not be open Friday to the public, but it has been fitted up for class rooms and has a kitchen and dining room, where clubs of twelve or more girls may meet and cook their suppers one night each week.

For the present it has been decided to serve meals to the girls who are rooming in the house. It is planned to have a cafeteria later, when the public may order what they desire from a well selected menu.

One transient room and one emergency room are among the needed features that will greet the visitor's eye Friday, but as was said in the beginning, there are so many surprising features that they must be seen to be appreciated, and remember, the public is invited to attend the reception Friday, any time between the hours of 2:30 and 5:00 and from 7:00 until 10:00 p. m.

Employed As Clerk

Bernard Scott, one of the brightest young men in Portsmouth, has taken a position with the Wolff clothing store on Chillicothe street. He will make a valuable addition to the accommodating staff of clerks employed at this popular trading place.

THIEVES STEAL CANNED FRUIT

Sneak thieves entered the cellar of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sommer, of New Fifth street, while they were attending the Knights of St. George social Wednesday night.

Quite a quantity of canned fruit and sundry articles were stolen, but the thieves must have been frightened away, for about a half dozen jars were found on the steps leading to the yard. Charley promises them a warm reception should they ever return.

Wade Melvin has taken a position as waiter at the Findeis restaurant.

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FIRE SCARE THURSDAY

When one of the clerks at the Corner Book Store invaded the storage room Thursday morning with a lighted candle a roll of wall paper caught fire. In a short time the store and the entire building was filled with smoke. The Seventh street fire department was called.

Chemicals were the chief extinguishers. Very little loss was caused by the fire, but the water and chemicals thrown on the paper damaged the rolls considerably.

Insure with Marvin C. Clark, Grand Opera House building. adv

Steel Worker Resigns.

William Stevens, who has been employed in the plant of the Portsmouth Steel Company, has resigned and has gone to Youngstown, where a position awaits him.

Moving Back Again.

Liveryman Al Windle, who removed his household effects to the second floor of his new livery stable in anticipation of a flood, is preparing to reoccupy his home.

Georgie Drew Mendum, Frank Deshon and a cluster of chorus beauties, who will be seen in "A Modern Eve" at the Grand Friday night. Tickets are now on sale at the box office.

May Open A Restaurant.

Chris Bach, a former Portsmouth resident, is here from Middletown on a visit and thinking somewhat of engaging in the restaurant business provided he can find a suitable location.

Sends Provisions.

The police sent a basket of provisions to Mrs. J. Spears, a poor and sick widow living near Front and Union streets, Wednesday night after learning that she had been without food all day.

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